

LONG HERE TO RECEIVE JAPANESE

Breckenridge Long, Third Assistant Secretary of State, who is to participate in the reception to the Royal Japanese Commission, was met at the Oakland mole this morning upon his arrival from Washington, D. C., by a reception committee of San Francisco citizens, who will be hosts to the Japanese commissioners. Those who came to this side of the bay to greet Breckenridge were Gavin McCarty, head of the committee; Postmaster Charles W. Fay, Thomas P. Healey, assistant manager of the St. Francis Hotel, and Edward Hainey, secretary to Mayor Rolph.

Colonel Takeo Imai, the first of the Royal Japanese Commission to arrive in San Francisco, is registered at the St. Francis Hotel. He has come to arrange for the arrival of the rest of the commissioners. On the day of the mission's arrival there will be a public reception in the rotunda of the city hall in San Francisco, at which Mayor Rolph, and probably Viscount Imai, leader of the mission, will speak. A public banquet will be given in the Palace Hotel on the evening of Tuesday, August 14, when Governor Stephens, Mayor Rolph and others will speak. Before the mission leaves for Washington the members will be taken on a sight-seeing tour of San Francisco and a two-day visit to the Yosemite.

Members of the war mission from Japan are:

Viscount Kikujiro Imai, ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary.

Vice-Admiral Isamu Takeshita, Japanese navy.

Major General Hiseichi Sugano, Japanese army.

Captain General Masaharu Hanishara, Matsuzo Nagai, secretary department foreign affairs.

Commander Masataka Ando, Japanese navy.

Major Seiji Tanikawa, Japanese army.

Vice-Consul Tadanao Imai.

Toshiro Owaku, private secretary to Viscount K. Imai.

Captain Nagai, Japanese navy.

K. Tokuda.

LOCAL MEN NAMED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—Among the commissions awarded at the Pittsburgh (N. Y.) camp and announced by the adjutant general today were the following:

California—Howard K. Judy, Los Angeles, captain; Gregory Jones, Los Angeles, second lieutenant; Ralph M. Fulton, Stockton, second lieutenant.

No Final Credits For Draft Army Heads Must Pass on Men

Local draft boards will not receive final credit for the quota of their districts until word has been received from the military authorities at the mobilization camp that the men selected have been accepted into the military service of the United States, according to word received from Provost-Marshal General Crowder who estimated that the number of men who will be discharged at mobilization camps and by district boards will amount to 10 percent. The order reads:

"Some men passed by the local boards will be exempted or discharged on appeal by the district board, and some will be discharged for industrial reasons by the district board."

"Some will be rejected at mobilization camps. The number of persons passed by local boards who will be discharged at mobilization camps is tentatively estimated at 10 percent of those passed by the local board. Therefore local boards should continue to call men up for examination until they have apparently filled their quota with 10 percent additional."

"Local boards have called 300 percent of their quota for examination. By the seventh day after this call was sent out, all claims for exemption and discharge by men called will be filed with the local board. By examining the number and character of these claims and by considering the number of persons rejected physically the board can roughly estimate the number of men to fill their quotas."

"Immediately after making this estimate, the board should send out a new call completed on the experience of the first call. This new call should be for enough men to complete 110 percent of the quota."

REGULATIONS DECIDED.

Regulations under which the men who are held as members of the new National army will be called to the colors have been decided. Before September 8th 200,000 of the 487,000 men who will make up the first army will be in camp. Retreat roll call at the board headquarters, set for 8:30 p. m., on the day of reporting to the board, will be the first military ceremony the drafted men pass through. The board members are directed to be present in person and to inform the men of their military status, impressing on them the fact that the obedience of orders is the gravest military crime. The light hand baggage, containing toilet articles and a change of underclothing, which the men are permitted to take with them to camp, will be inspected by the board, and the list of men sent forward made out and copies of original registration cards prepared.

For each district five alternates will be summoned to the board headquarters, in addition to the men actually selected to fill the quota. They will be held at the assembling point until train time to fill in vacancies, should any men of the levy fail to report.

ARE GIVEN LIBERTY.

Except for retreat roll call, the men will be given town liberty until forty-five minutes before train time. The board will, during this interval, select one man from the levy whom it deems best qualified to command, and place him in charge of the party for its trip. He will name a second in command to aid him, and the other men will be placed in that order of their quota must be placed under penalty of military discipline.

The man in charge of the party will call the roll at the board headquarters just before train time. He will then take up the draft, and, accompanied by the board member, march them to the station to entrain.

Three final verification of the list will be made, and if any man of the selected number is missing, an alternate will be sent forward in his place.

It will be the duty of the commander of each party to watch over his men during the trip, to see that none are left behind at any station, that all are fed regularly, and that no liquor is furnished to them en route.

When within six hours of the camp the man in charge of the party will call the roll, and the board member, the Adjutant-General, notifying him of the time of arrival. Immediately upon the departure of the train the local board will send a similar message.

TO HUNT STRAGGLERS.

After the departure of the levy for camp, the local boards will turn to gathering up stragglers. If there is evidence of willful violation of orders, the offender will be reported to the Adjutant-General of the army as a deserter.

Arrived at the camp, the party will undergo final physical examination by army doctors. If they are rejected the local board will be notified and an alternate sent forward for each such case.

The next quota of a board will be regarded as filled only when the full number of men called for have been finally accepted.

Provision is made, also, for a strict accounting as to quotas, between the Federal Government and the Adjutant-General in the first instance, and between the Adjutant-General and the local boards in the second. Reports to show the standing of such accounts will be filed every ten days until every quota has been filled.

DEBATE IS STARTED ON WAR TAX BILL

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000,000 does not meet the manifest equities of the situation. Your committee thought that the equities of the situation required at least one-half of the sum proposed to be raised should be drawn from incomes and excess profits."

CORPORATION INCOME TAX INCREASED

Senators Simmons submitted a bill to increase the corporate income tax. J. P. Morgan & Company, showing that forty-five great corporations alone will pay, under the proposed committee revision, war profit taxes of \$239,877,000, against \$77,736,000 proposed under the House bill.

Senator Simmons declared that the committee proposes a specific war profits and not an excess profits tax. The House standard is "wholly unsatisfactory, arbitrary and arbitrary."

The reasons for increasing corporation income taxes Senator Simmons gave as follows:

"The necessity for increased revenue on account of the large deficits estimated for the army presented by the Secretary of the Treasury after the bill was recommended at my request on account of the Smoot amendment to the food control bill."

The proposed tax on corporations' undivided surplus, he declared, "would more nearly balance the relative conditions as between corporations, partnerships and individuals with respect to income surpluses."

REASON FOR CUTTING AD VALOREM TARIFF

Regarding elimination of the House general 10 per cent ad valorem tariff Levy Simmons said:

"While the government would realize from these tariff levies \$20,000,000, the domestic producers of this country would as a result collect out of the people an amount three or four times greater than the amount which it is estimated the government will receive from the tax."

The reduced tobacco taxes, he said, would raise the same revenues as the House rates without burdening other producers or consumers. Liquor rates, he added, were raised because the food control law's provisions stopping the manufacture of whiskey made it advisable to find other revenue sources.

Simmons' statement regarding the publishers' tax was:

"Our committee decided to eliminate the House zone system because it was made clear to them that it is a tax which would be not only burdensome, but in a number of cases, disastrous to many valuable publications. Representatives of practically all the great publications of the country appeared before the committee against the tax. The tax submitted by your committee is not a logical one, it must be confessed, but it was the best your committee was able to devise in view of the present conditions of the publishing business."

ARMY INSURANCE BILL IN CONGRESS

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sum of \$75 a month for enlisted men and up to \$200 a month for higher officers. An officer can't receive this disability allowance if he receives retirement pay.

"ARM AND LEG" CLAUSES INCLUDED

If a man loses both legs and both arms in battle, he would receive \$200 a month, or if he needed a nurse \$25 more. If he had a dependent mother he would get \$10 more. If he later married, he would get \$15 more and for each of the first two children by the marriage \$10 more, or \$105. He would be fitted with artificial arms and legs. If he wanted to start a store, he could collect a \$1000 advance on his compensation, to be paid back at the rate of \$20 a month.

If a man loses his fingers or toes, he would be fitted with artificial arms and legs. If he wanted to start a store, he could collect a \$1000 advance on his compensation, to be paid back at the rate of \$20 a month.

Under the old pension system this family would receive only \$16 to \$24 a month.

Of the \$60 on the death of his mother, \$10 a month would be cut off. If the wife remarried, she would get the \$50 a month for two years, when it would drop to \$25 until the first child was 18 and thereafter to \$15, being stopped altogether when the second child was 18.

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This holds good whether a man died during the war or after he is out of it. If the wounds were suffered in America's service.

After he leaves the service he can retain his \$8 per \$1000 insurance at the rate and chance it into a policy maturing earlier than the regular war policy—that is, before death.

All soldier insurance is to be assigned and free from the claims of creditors of the insured or the beneficiary.

The object of this insurance clause is to forestall any future attempts at pension legislation.

The bill provides for reorganization of the war risk insurance bureau of the Treasury Department to handle this phase of the law. It divides the bureau into two sections, one marine and one land. The marine section will handle the insurance of the insured or the beneficiary.

"Because we are drafting and compiling a new code, if necessary, the supreme sacrifice, a high obligation rests on the government to mitigate the horrors of war for the fighting man and his dependents," Secretary McCord declared in a letter to President Wilson expressing the measure.

URGED AS PAYMENT FOR SOLDIERS' SACRIFICE

The compensation should not be offered as a gratuity nor deferred until the end of the war. The wives, children and other dependents should not be left as in other wars, to uncertain charity. The men should know in advance that if they come back maimed, legless and sightless they are not going to be left to uncertainty of future legislation.

"It may be suggested that the cost of this system is too great. I have no patience with such a suggestion; only compassion. If the nation is doing justice to our fighting men and their families should be five, six or seven hundred million dollars per year, it is insignificant, compared with what those men do for their country."

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LOS ANGELES, Aug. 10.—A perfect race to replace America's physically perfect soldiers by each warrior taking a eugenic bride before leaving for France, the plan urged here by Dr. Lulu Peters, chairman of public health for the District Federation of Women's Clubs.

Dr. Peters advances the theory that if all the soldiers found physically perfect would marry equally as perfect women, America would be given a basis for a eugenic race.

DEMAND WAR AIMS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—An open demand that the United States immediately declare its war aims was made today by John M. Baer of North Dakota, who qualified as a representative in Congress in succession to the late Henry T. Helgeson.

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ANTI-DRAFT LEADER IS IN CUSTODY

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been standing behind the President for these many months have had to shuffle around quite a little. The peace movement is going to sweep the country. We did not enter into this war to protect anybody's democracy. What we did was to enter the war to protect money, kings and bankers."

CHOSEN TO HEAD ORGANIZATION

The following directors were elected as permanent heads of the organization: William Short, Dora T. Israel, Herman B. Smith, Theodore Pollok, Charlotte A. Whitney, Lydia C. Meestre, Rev. Arch Ferrin and Mrs. Mary C. Parton.

Resolutions favoring an early peace without annexations or indemnities, urging the government to announce its war aims, demanding freedom of the press, pledging members to work for the repeal of all laws for compulsory military training, to amend the conscription law so as to exempt conscientious objectors, to raise wages and reduce hours of labor, to oppose importation of alien labor or prisoners of war, and to urge Congress to remain in session during the period of the war, were adopted by the council.

Bishop H. P. Parks of Chicago is trying to discover how it was that his name became connected with those who took an active part in the meeting. Bishop Parks is staying in Oakland, where he will attend a conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church. It had been announced that he was to speak at the meeting but the federal authorities have no record of his having been in the hall. Bishop Parks, in Oakland, denied that he had attended the meeting and said that he was not even in San Francisco on the days the meetings were being held.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—Several thousand men who have failed to appear before local exemption boards when notified that they had been drawn in the selective draft today faced the prospect of arrest and prosecution in the Federal Court for evasion of the draft act.

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Draft Board Orders Changed Last Local Body Is at Work

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the War Department to queries as to what is going to be done with conscientious objectors. In England these objectors have been subjected to civil law and have been given jail sentences. In the United States the men pass out of the jurisdiction of civil authorities automatically when they object. They will come under the orders of court-martial and will not be given an opportunity to languish in jail.

There will be no separate camps for those who aspired to keep out of battle. Instead they will be given the work of ordinary military prisoners. This consists in camp work, which is dirty and onerous.

At the front military prisoners are ordered to the front-line trenches. General Crowder has expressed a desire to override no acts or creeds, but he believes that these are provided for by the regulations which provide exemptions for recognized religious sects opposed to war.

Exemption boards have been advised to give no exemptions for those who claim conscientious objection. The instructions sent out by General Crowder follow:

CROWDER'S INSTRUCTIONS ON EXEMPTIONS

"Section 2 of the selective service law exempts no person from military service on the ground of dependency. Only authorities to the President to exclude or discharge from draft those in a status with respect to persons dependent upon them for support which renders their exclusion or discharge advisable.

"The controlling necessity is to raise an army. It is advisable to disturb dependents just as little as the necessity of raising an army will permit. To this end section 18 of the regulations was carefully and after the most earnest consideration.

"If experience is to prove that the generous conditions prescribed by section 18, or any abuse of them, will interfere with the raising of an army, then it is no longer advisable to discharge so wide a class and the conditions stated therein will have to be restricted until an advisable rule is reached.

"Nothing had happened to change the belief that the persons enumerated in section 18 could be discharged without interfering with the raising of an army, but there are indications that the use of section 18 may render its continuance no longer advisable. Reports are to the effect that in some districts as high as 80 per cent of persons called before local boards are filing claims for discharge on the grounds of dependent relatives. Such a percentage of claims, when viewed in connection with all available statistics, indicates beyond question that advantage is being taken of the provisions of the law and regulations which were intended to reduce to a minimum the misery at home normally attendant upon war.

"There is a moral certainty, in the extravagance of this percentage, that

hundreds of unfounded claims are included in these totals. "This state of affairs greatly increases the burden of local boards, for if so high a percentage of registrants claim exemption, only the uncompromising action of local boards can prevent a new regulation on the subject of dependency which shall release discharges for dependency to a far more restricted class and to very necessary and clearly defined circumstances.

"In the absence of a stern repression by local boards of unfounded claims, this result is inevitable, since persons whom the present regulations were designed to protect, and that the welfare of the persons who have filed bona fide claims under the present generous clauses of the regulations is seriously imperiled by persons who have filed claims without merit, and that the only protection of persons whose cases are within the meaning of the present rules lies in the power of local boards to refuse exemption in every doubtful case.

"It is true that cases of discharge on the ground of dependency are appealed to the district board, but this clause is only inserted to secure uniformity of action. District boards are to examine these cases to discover departures from the law, regulations and rulings; and they will not and cannot open every case on its merits. It is in the local boards alone, therefore, that the solution of the difficulty and the protection of deserving claimants lies."

105 MEN GIVEN TESTS BY BOARD

The exemption board in District 3 examined 105 men yesterday, 21 being found physically qualified for military service and not claiming exemption. In this district 38 claimed exemption on grounds of dependents, 28 were found deficient, 23 were aliens, and 3 claimed exemption on religious grounds.

Those who are ready to join the first training camp in September are H. C. Whitford, R. W. Fisher, Frank C. Bell, A. L. Reeder, Hubert A. Friend, L. J. Kehoe, E. L. Francard, Felice Buonaccorsi, Giovanni Gallardo, Harry Buckley, Joseph D. Foote, Charles A. Anderson, Frank Lapizick, Anthony Valera, Michael E. Polier, George F. Lynch, Melvin T. Irwin, Charles J. McCarthy and Peter Campana.

One young fellow in this district who had been excused from service because of physical deficiency, was given a lesson in patriotism by a member of the examining board. He had passed the physicians and was waiting for his papers to be signed when he became impatient and accused the board member of taking another man out of his turn.

"I've been waiting here all day," he said. "Why don't you sign my papers and let me get out of here?" The board member, a patriarchal old man with white hair and beard, looked at him serenely.

"Young man," he said, "you've given one day to Uncle Sam. I've given a week already, and am going to give another week more. This young man—pointing to the youth by his side who had passed the physical examination and had not claimed exemption—"this young man is going to give several years and perhaps his life that you and your mother and your sisters may live in safety. Do you kick because you have to give up one day?"

The impatient one was filled with remorse and apologized, and after his papers were signed, shook hands with the board member, and admitted that he hadn't looked at things in the right light.

In District 7, which has a total of 96 per cent exemption claims, the members of the examining board

COURT DEFIED BY DRAFT RESISTER

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Still defying operation of the draft act, Guy H. Broughton, an assistant in the chemistry department of the University of California, remains in jail in San Francisco, obdurate in his declarations that he will not submit himself for physical examination and that he intends to test the constitutionality of the draft act.

When arraigned before United States Commissioner Francis Krull on a complaint sworn to by Arthur M. Allen, agent of the department of justice, Broughton declared that no matter what happened to him he would still persist in his refusal to submit to examination. When arrested in Berkeley he maintained that he was being deprived of his liberty in an unconstitutional manner.

"If every citizen took the same view against law and order there would be chaos in the country," said Commissioner Krull.

"Some laws are so vicious that a little chaos is the only way to get them out of the way," the prisoner retorted.

Broughton is being held in jail in default of \$100 bail.

EYES DRUGGED

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 10.—Complaints that several physicians here are placing a drug in the eyes of men called for examination under the selective army law in order that they will fail to pass the physical test were made to the St. Louis district exemption board by several ward boards. Official investigation was begun.

Complaints also have been made that some of the men have been given medicine to affect the heart.

It was stated that this was due to the large number of young married men and aliens in their district. All the exemption boards are waiting until August 16 to decide the status of aliens who have been drawn in the draft. In the meanwhile they are being advised to enlist.

CLAIMS FOR DISCHARGE STILL RUN HIGH

Claims for exemption in district No. 1, which started work examining drafted men this morning, are running as high as in the other districts which have completed work. Only seven men were secured up to noon today who passed the physical examination and did not claim exemption out of sixty who were examined. Eighteen claimed exemption on grounds of dependents, fifteen were aliens, ten were found physically deficient and four claimed industrial exemption.

Those who did not claim exemption and were physically qualified for military service were Owen Walsh, Vasco J. Perry, Harold E. Johansen, Charles N. Ellis, David B. Rattaro, Delmar A. Enke and N. P. Taft.

In district No. 2, which is on its second day's work, 52 men were examined this morning and 12 men passed the physical examination and did not claim exemption. They were Edward A. Witte, Joseph A. Zanone, Edward Raymond Franks, Angel Solari, George Taylor, George H. Van De Venter, George Wallace Elliot, Harry Kampling, Herbert Woodward, and E. J. McGowan.

In this district 26 claimed exemption on grounds of dependents, eight were physically deficient and nine were aliens.

SECOND-CLASS CALLED ACROSS THE BAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—Seven out of San Francisco's thirteen exemption boards called out a second class of registered men today, the seven boards having completed examination of all the men included in the first call who were filling their quotas.

While these additional men were being called for examination authorities began wondering about the legality of many exemption claims. Secretary Thomas E. Murray of the county defense council declared today that charges that men had filed false exemption claims had been filed with the council in 200 cases.

FLETCHER GETS M'CLATCHY PLACE

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 10.—The retirement from the State Reclamation Board of V. S. McClatchy, who has served as president of the board since its organization in 1912, and the selection of A. R. Fletcher, chief engineer of the State Highway Commission, to fill the vacancy were announced today by Governor William D. Stephens. The change will become effective about October 1, and it is expected Fletcher will become president of the board. Organization of the

board's working force in the manner contemplated by the act creating it is expected to follow. This has not been put into effect hitherto because of financial conditions and unsettled features of the project which recently have in great part disappeared, according to members of the board. An understanding was reached some time ago between Governor Stephens and V. S. McClatchy that McClatchy would be permitted to retire from the board as soon as the Sacramento river flood control project had been assured of success through federal and state recognition.

As this point is believed to have been reached McClatchy asked to be relieved from further service. Prior to his appointment on the reclamation board in May, 1912, a flood control committee of three, acting in a semi-official capacity, presented California's needs to Congressmen at Washington. On this committee McClatchy acted as special commissioner appointed by Governor Johnson. The

other members were A. S. Anderson and A. L. Shinn, representing respectively the San Francisco and Sacramento chambers of commerce. McClatchy also served as acting chairman of the water problems conference appointed by the legislature of 1912 to investigate the water problems of the state.

IN HIGHWAY WORK. A. R. Fletcher, who will become president of the board, has been in charge of the state highway work for a number of years. Prior to this he was engaged in Southern California and in Massachusetts in connection with highway construction. He will continue with the State Highway Commission, where his salary is \$10,000 per year. Membership on the reclamation board carried no salary, but a per diem is allowed for time spent at meetings of the board.

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These are the newest and most exclusive Autumn Models—Coats on those extremely graceful, long lines—Skirts just the correct width—some braided, some perfectly plain, with pockets and without pockets—Belted and Unbelted Suits.

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A remarkable showing of refined waists in exquisite fabrics. The one pictured is in high-grade white satin with one large button terminating the long roll collar. It is very excellent value at \$8.50



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At last we have a complete stock of this famous linen mesh underwear.

Light Weight Athletic Shirts and Knee Drawers, per garment.....\$1.75
Medium Weight Shirts and Drawers, per garment.....\$2.25
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Medium Weight Union Suits \$4.50—Heavy Weight.....\$5.50

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The new Fall patterns are in—Spite of rising markets our price is still.....50c

Fine Linen Handkerchiefs

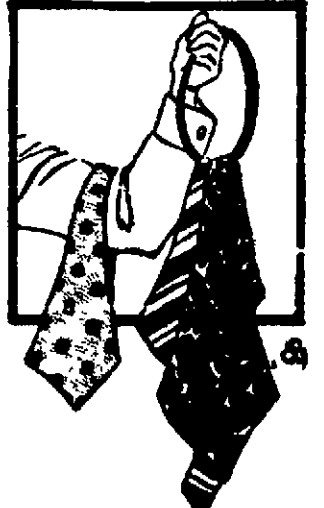
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In Broadcloths, Gabardines, Poplins, Serges and Mixture Tweeds, range in price from

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We are also showing a large selection of Fall Coats and Dresses in the approved and correct styles for the new season.

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The greatest variety of styles. Materials: Velours, Mixture Tweeds, Plushes and Velvets. Sizes 1 to 6—

\$3.95 to \$15.00

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\$4.95 to \$22.50

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Clever new models of Children's Tub Dresses. Fast color Chambrays, Gingham, etc. All new, attractive styles—

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Monday, August Thirteenth, will mark the fiftieth anniversary of the organization of The Oakland Bank of Savings.

The figures shown below tell the story of the remarkable growth of the bank's deposits much more clearly than it could be told in words.

1868.....	\$ 65,656.00
1878.....	\$ 1,471,082.00
1888.....	\$ 2,713,935.00
1898.....	\$ 5,136,667.00
1908.....	\$17,859,777.00
1917.....	\$32,051,032.00

As a token of our appreciation of the support which has been given us and the confidence which has been shown us by the public, making possible our continued growth, we will pay interest from August first on all money deposited in our savings department on Monday, August Thirteenth. This applies to all of our branches as well as our main office.

The Oakland Bank of Savings

TRACTION MEN TALK OF ARBITRATION

Arbitration principally of the higher wages question and agreement upon the terms of the new contract, which will probably be called a strike, will probably, it is said, be the outcome of the final conference today between representatives of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal and the Carmen's Union, Division No. 192. No settlement was reached at the preliminary conference, which was, accordingly, continued this afternoon in an effort to come to an agreement. Discussion at today's conference, it is understood, centered largely on the question of arbitration and the appointment of a mediator. It is said that the company has already submitted to some of the many demands of the men, which involve wage increases and technical details of operation, such as the curtailing of the number of swing runs, whereby a number of the carmen have to break up their working day by being on duty for a consecutive number of hours.

Some of the men are said to favor swing runs and others are opposed to them. A longer time in which to make out accident reports and the regulation of the size of the men's lockers in car houses are included in the minor issues among the eighty-three demands of the men.

Collector of the carmen's union would not discuss whether, as had been hinted, the issue of the open shop in Oakland was back of the threatened strike.

ACCUSED BY GIRL.
Charles Fries, 2941 Webster street, is in custody today under statutory charges preferred by his 17-year-old daughter, Grace Carlton. The girl is at the detention home. She lived with Fries and his wife. The Fries have a small child.

GET OUT OF THE KITCHEN EARLY

It is so easy to serve Lehnhardt's ice cream specials for dessert. Get out of the habit of so much cooking at home and allow Lehnhardt's to serve you. Special Bercks, quarts, for 30c, delivered at your door, packed in ice and ready to serve when you are ready for it. Phone Oak. 499.—Advertisement.

Strikes Not to Halt War Work Industrial Peace in U. S. Aim

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—Possibility of important government contracts being impeded seriously by labor disputes virtually eliminated by the creation of a special commission with extraordinary powers to settle industrial troubles. The Council of National Defense, which recognized the board, will award contracts only to those who will abide by the decisions of the board and require pledges of their employees to do so.

A statement issued today by the Council of National Defense defines the new board as follows: "The commission shall have jurisdiction over all disputes concerning wages, hours of employment, and conditions of work in establishments having contracts with the government, in accordance with the eight-hour law of June 19, 1912, or March 3, 1913, and shall hear and determine all labor disputes in which more than 1000 workers are directly affected, and may, in its discretion, hear and determine labor disputes in which less than 1000 workers are directly affected."

TO PROMOTE PEACE.
"It shall also have authority to appoint from time to time labor and management committees to hear and determine such labor disputes as may be assigned to them by the commission, where less than 1000 workers are directly affected, such committees are representative of the same elements as the committees. The awards of the labor adjustment commission or the labor adjustment committees appointed by it shall be made in each case not more than thirty days after the case has been submitted to the commission and shall be binding upon the employees and employers in the plant or plants affected for such period as may be expressed in the award, but not longer than sixty days after the close of the war."

**ISLAND VISITOR
HELD AS SUSPECT**

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—Captured under mysterious circumstances with a package containing \$100 in currency and two sealed letters, Patrick J. Farrally, believed to be an immigration inspector, was arrested today at Fort McDowell. The federal authorities procured a warrant from United States Commissioner Krull charging Farrally with trespassing on a government reservation, a violation of section 45 of the criminal code, pending further investigation.

Farrally was taken into custody on Angel Island near that portion of Fort McDowell where former German Consul Franz Bopp, Vice-Consul E. H. von Schack and other alien persons are interned.

According to advices received by the United States attorney's office over the telephone Farrally was seized by a guard as he was making his way along a road near the fort. He had a sealed package containing five \$20 bills and two letters. The contents of these letters, the officials say, may have bearing on the case.

Farrally absolutely refused to give a reason for his presence there and declined to talk to the officials who questioned him.

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EIGHT-HOUR DAY.
"In every contract hereafter made by the government in accordance with the eight-hour law of June 19, 1912, or March 3, 1913, which may require or involve the employment of laborers or mechanics, there shall be included the following stipulations: "That wages of persons employed upon such contracts shall be computed on a basic day rate of eight hours' work, with overtime rates to be paid for at not less than time and one-half for all hours of work in excess of eight hours."

When a war-time labor dispute arises in any establishment under contract with the government in accordance with the provisions of the eight-hour law of June 19, 1912, or March 3, 1913, which the employees and employers or their representatives are unable to mutually adjust and a strike seems imminent, the Department of Labor may on its own initiative or at the request of the employers, the employed or the department whose contract is affected, appoint a mediator who shall, on behalf of the government, endeavor to bring about a mutually satisfactory adjustment of the disputes.

**STAFFORD AND
WIFE RECONCILED**

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—Harry L. Stafford, lawyer and prospective recruit under the draft, has won again his wife, who as Geraldine Hatch, he won first while he was defending her father, Jackson Hatch of San Jose, in two protracted trials for embezzlement, and who obtained an interlocutory decree last May. The Staffords have kept the secret of their reconciliation so well that it leaked out only yesterday that the interlocutory decree was dismissed by Superior Judge Trout on three weeks ago on motion of Mrs. Stafford's attorney, Harold L. Levine.

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OAKLAND WOMEN NAMED TO OFFICE

Miss Nora Lyden of Oakland has been elected first grand vice-president and Mrs. Agnes Krig of Alameda a director, of the Grand Institute of the Young Ladies' Institute, which installs its newly elected officers today at the annual convention in Eureka. This is the closing day of the convention and delegates toured by auto in the vicinity of Eureka as the guests of the Knights of Columbus. Today's program included a luncheon in Canyon Park, one of the beautiful spots of Humboldt, and an informal reception to the delegates by the Elks' Club following the installation.

The delegates dined in Sequoia Park last night, where a song was spread by local Y. L. I. members for the guests. Following supper an impromptu musical program was given.

Following are the officers to be installed today:
First grand president, Mrs. Stasia Hill; first grand vice-president, Mrs. Mary Kaunitz; first grand vice-president, Miss Nora Lyden; second grand vice-president, Miss Annie Burgess; grand secretary, Miss J. T. Malloy; grand treasurer, Miss Ella Comyn; grand marshal, Miss Alice Schmetter; grand inner sentinel, Miss Maude Wood; grand outer sentinel, Miss Elsie Schmidt; directors, Miss L. Lenart, Miss Mary Corbett, Miss G. Sheehan, Miss Catherine Krig, Mrs. M. Graham, Mrs. Agnes Krig, Mrs. T. Donahue, Miss Genevieve Colgan, Miss Frances O'Callaghan, Mrs. Annie Murray.

LOST IN WILDS

HANFORD, Cal., Aug. 10.—Walter Wheeler Hardwick, heir to an Indiana estate, who disappeared in the Sierras July 13 and who had been given up for dead, staggered into a camp in Giant Forest early today, exhausted and in tatters. For nearly three weeks he had been wandering aimlessly in the mountain wilds, living on wild fruits and berries and on such game as he could kill.

His first request after his hunger had been satisfied was for a chew of tobacco.

FIRE IN FOREST

SEBASTO, Aug. 10.—The town of Three Rivers and the Mount Whitney power plant, which supplies power to Los Angeles, were threatened today by the most serious forest fire of the season, which is raging in the high Sierras. The homes of three ranchers have already been destroyed, but it is not believed there have been any casualties.

The fire is near the Sequoia national park and fears are felt for the safety of the fine trees in Grant national park. The flames at last reports were racing through a forest of fine oak timber.

All wires are down and news from the fire zone has been sent by courier.

HEASON IS CAPTAIN.

George James Heason, son of George A. Heason, captain of the Hogan Lumber Company, has received his commission as captain after three months' training at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, according to word received today by the father. Young Heason was recruited by the Y. M. C. A. at Gary, Indiana, before joining the training school.

BIRTHS

SCHWARTZ—August 7, to the wife of Charles A. Schwartz, a daughter.
NICHOLSON—August 5, to the wife of Albert Nicholson, a son.
DE LOZAN—August 8, to the wife of Horacio de Loza, a son.
LOUGHRAN—July 22, to the wife of Alfred John Loughran, a daughter.
SMALL—August 4, to the wife of Joseph Small, a son.
BENNETT—August 8, to the wife of Theodore Bennett, a daughter.
PAGE—August 8, to the wife of Alva F. Page, a daughter.
MAGRI—August 8, to the wife of Lorenzo Magri, a son.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

CASAGNOLA-CANEPA—Devil Castagnola, 23, Emeryville, and Louise Canepe, 15, Emeryville.
FERNANDEZ-BERAND—Tony Fernandez, 20, San Leandro, and Mary M. Berand, 17, San Leandro.
THATCHER-GIBSON—Herakiah M. Thatcher, 45, San Francisco, and Linn E. Gibson, 34, San Francisco.
TEDSCH-GENOARELLI—Eugene Tedeschi, 45, Oakland, and Nunzia Genoarelli, 23, Oakland.

NEWMAN-SCHILL—Benjamin F. Newman, 23, San Francisco, and Nina L. Schill, 15, San Francisco.
HARRHAM-HALL—Elmer Harrham, 52, Maraca, and Grace Hall, 48, Oakland.
BAGLEY-BATMAN—John W. Bagley, 28, Oakland, and Pearl V. Bateman, 22, Oakland.
CHRISTIAN-ANDREU—Edward Christian, 30, Fresno, and Ida M. Andreu, 28, Fresno.

SAN FRANCISCO LICENSE.

HORWITZ-JACOBS—Louis M. Horwitz, 35, Hotel Touraine, Oakland, and Edna Jacobs, 32, Oakland.
HOFFMANN-BAUMANN—Frederick A. Hoffmann, 37, and Marie Baumann, 35, Oakland.

SAN MATEO LICENSE.

GRIM-MEDEROS—George R. Grim, 23, and Hazel Mederos, 21, both of Oakland.

SANTA CLARA LICENSE.

DENNIS-MARKLEY—Charles Marshall Dennis, 37, Katherine Margaret Markley, 26, both of San Jose.
MARTIN-THOMAS—Henry J. Martin, 60, and Hope Marie Thomas, 51, both of San Francisco.

CONTRA COSTA LICENSE.

STEWART-DAVIES—John Richard Stewart, 23, Mare Island, and Lona Davies, 25, Vallejo.

MARIN LICENSE.

REULER-AGEE—Charles F. Reuler, 43, and Katherine Agee, 42, both of Oakland.

DEATHS

McAVIN—In this city, August 9, 1917, Patrick McAVIN, husband of the late Annie McAVIN (neé O'Connell), died at his residence, 1400 15th street, thence to St. Patrick's church, where a solemn requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul commencing at 9 a. m. Interment, St. Mary's cemetery.

Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Saturday August 11, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., from his late residence, 1400 15th street, thence to St. Patrick's church, where a solemn requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul commencing at 9 a. m. Interment, St. Mary's cemetery.

SAN FRANCISCO DEATHS.
Bonhart, Alfred J., 33, Helms, Martha A.—7.
Castello Joseph—14.
Duff, James Richard—Keegan, Elizabeth—66.
Fletcher, Lorraine—12.
Goffin, Alexander—23.
Hodges, John B.—1.
Manning, Mary A.—92.
McDonough, Catherine—10.
Sutcliffe, Florence—10.

Funeral Home, J. N. and Paul O. Kilgore.

Home Undertaking Co., 2900 E. 14TH ST. PHONE FRUITVALE 26.

TO HEAR LECTURE
SAN JOSE, Aug. 10.—On the afternoon of August 14, at Chamber of Commerce hall, Mrs. Randolph Huntington Minor will discuss the work of the Navy League of the United States. Mrs. Minor is informed on every phase of this branch of work, and will tell what is being done, not only in California, but throughout the entire country. The navy rooms in

ORDERS ON HAND
NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—The unfilled orders of the United States Steel Corporation on July 31, were 10,844,164 tons, according to the monthly report issued today. This is a decrease of 539,133 tons from the orders on June 30.

BOOK IS 'STRAFED'
CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—Although Mayor Thompson's new school board declined to remove a page laudatory of the Kaiser from the eighth grade speller, the page is being "strafed" anyway by the youngsters, who are tearing the books and sending the mutilated pages to newspapers.



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A Remarkable Collection of New and Exclusive Models in a Great Variety of Styles, Materials and Colors at Popular Prices.

Truly Amazing Values

\$15.75 \$19.50 \$25

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—Styles that are new, authentic and entirely different—roomy, luxurious Coats with large convertible collars and deep cuffs. Many of them lined throughout with rich silks in sharply contrasting colors. Many are fur trimmed.

**Velour, Broadcloth
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—We advise early buying on account of the steady rise in the price of materials. Our stocks are now at their best—the result of preparedness.

A Feature in New Serge Dresses

\$15.75 Exceptional in Style and Value **\$15.75**

—Four entirely new models showing the new side drapes and high waisted effects—silk embroidered; satin or fancy silk collars; pleated and plain skirts. Serges of good quality.

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Any Summer
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\$8.95

Any Summer
DRESS

This includes every Summer Suit and Dress, without reservation, in our Downstairs Department.

Silk Taffeta and Jersey Top Petticoats
A Wonderful Assortment to Choose From

\$1.95 \$2.95 \$3.95

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THE PARK SHOE CO'S

Summer CLEARANCE SALE

10% to 33 1/3% Reduction

On Every Pair of Women's, Misses' and Children's Summer Shoes, Pumps, Strap Slippers and Oxfords in the Entire Stock, Without a Single Exception.

All fresh, new merchandise, THE VERY FINEST OF THIS SUMMER'S FOOTWEAR FASHIONS.

Children's Shoes

in many instances lower than we could buy them at the prevailing high market today.

**Patent and Gun Metal Leathers
Neat Footform Lasts**

Sizes 5 to 8	\$1.85
Sizes 8 1/2 to 11	\$2.15
Sizes 11 1/2 to 2	\$2.45
Big Girls' sizes, 2 1/2 to 7	\$2.95
Misses' Semi-English Shoes, in white buckskin, tan or black calfskin; sizes 11 1/2 to 2, \$1.50 values	\$3.15

Children's, Misses and Big Girls' white leather top, patent leather vamp, button boots; very dressy and stylish.

Sizes 5 to 8.....\$1.85 / Sizes 8 1/2 to 11.....\$2.15 / Sizes 11 1/2 to 2.....\$2.45

Women's White Reiguskun Pumps.....\$1.95

Women's Patent Kid Pumps.....\$3 and \$3.50 Values

Women's White Canvas 9-inch Boots, white covered heels.....\$1.95

Women's White Reiguskun One-Strap Slippers.....\$3.50

Women's Black Strap Slippers.....\$4.95

Women's White Buckskin 9-inch Button Boots, turned soles, white covered French heels.....\$6.50 to \$8 Values

Women's White Buckskin Sport Shoe, new military heels.....\$4.95

Women's White Buckskin Boot, plain toe, new military heels.....\$4.95



SCHOOL SHOES



Barefoot Sandals

Russian Calf Uppers and Solid Leather Soles

Sizes 4 to 8	\$1.41
Sizes 8 1/2 to 11	\$1.41
Sizes 11 1/2 to 2	\$1.15
Sizes 2 1/2 to 7	\$1.41

Boys' Scouting Shoes

Made of good durable Tan Calfskin Leather with Elkskin soles. No better wearing shoes made.

Sizes 8 to 13 1/2	\$2.25
Sizes 1 to 6	\$2.70
Men's sizes, 6 1/2 to 11	\$3.15



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MEAT

PRIME RIB ROAST BEEF.....17 1/2c and 20c lb.
STANDARD ROAST BEEF.....17 1/2c lb.
PRIME ROLLER ROAST BEEF.....17 1/2c lb.
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A CHOICE SELECTION OF FRICASSEE HENS, ROASTERS, FRYERS AND BROILERS.
BELGIAN HARES.
GROUND BONE FOR CHICKENS.

DELICATESSEN SPECIALS

FANCY BLOATERS.....6 for 25c
EDAM CHEESE.....\$1.25 each
MONTEREY CREAM CHEESE.....25c lb.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

New Potatoes.....8 lbs. for 25c
New Red Onions.....10 lbs for 10c
Fancy Pole Beans.....5c lb.

Special Brand Fancy Creamery

BUTTER 2 93c

Best Hayward Eggs—Lowest Prices.
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Large variety of Fish constantly on hand at lower than Free Market prices.

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Big Sugar Special

TOMORROW

15 BEST CANE SUGAR POUNDS.....\$1.00
With \$1.00 Purchase Long's 20c Coffee.....

7 BEST CANE SUGAR POUNDS.....50c
With 50c Purchase Long's 20c Coffee.....

3 1/2 BEST CANE SUGAR POUNDS.....25c
With 1 lb. Long's 20c Coffee.....

No Delivery! No Phone Orders!

Long's Best Coffee, per lb. 30c
1 LB. SAME QUALITY YOU PAY 40c FOR ELSEWHERE. ROASTED WHILE YOU WAIT.

Long's Best Tea, per lb. 50c
LONG the COFFEE MAN

BAKERY DEPARTMENT

Bread Specials
Four Loaves 25c

Long's Delicious Percolated Coffee with Sandwiches or Cake, only 10c. IN LONG'S CAFETERIA. Ice Cream 5c.

AT NOON TRY A CUP OF

or any other time

CLARA, COIN, HAPPINESS, ALL VANISH

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—George Wilcox, a wealthy Kelseyville storekeeper, has spent so much of his life in the country that he believes that city-bred people are "wrong" and that whatever possible wrong there may be in the world is indulged in exclusively by the male of the species. Consequently when Wilcox, who is approaching three-score years, met Clara Alto in a third street hotel here, smiling enraptured and her charms entranced until he fell madly and fatally in love. Clara was willing to spend all of her time and most of his money showing Wilcox the town. She even permitted him to buy her clothes to the amount of \$39 and consented, after much persuasion, to take care of \$85 in coin. She borrowed his heavy silver hair brush, the back of which had been in the family for generations. She even promised marriage, declaring that she wanted to be somebody's darling and was tired of the fickle youths of the gay city. "Still she kept putting me off," said Wilcox, telling the story himself. "Last night when I called on her she said, 'Let's take a walk.' We did and we had something to eat and I spent some more money and then I woke up in a strange room this morning and I don't remember where I was or how I got there.

"There was a man there in the hotel who gave me \$3 which I told him that all my money had been taken out of my clothes. I went back to Clara's hotel and she had moved, taking the family hair brush and everything.

"Nothing like that ever happened to me in Kelseyville. I would like to find Clara because I sure do think a lot of her."

This was all detailed to Detective Sergeant Prohl after Wilcox had reluctantly gone to police headquarters. His only description of his fair Clara was:

"She sure is pretty."

WIFE IS STABBED

GLENN'S FERRY, Idaho, Aug. 10.—A posse of 50 men are searching the hills here for Charles Sandusky of this city, who is accused of stabbing his wife about the face, arms, breast and back. She is not expected to recover.

Mrs. Sandusky had her husband arrested for beating her. He escaped jail at 9 o'clock last night and at 9:30 o'clock the neighbors were attracted by the screams of Mrs. Sandusky. She was found lying on the floor of her home. Sandusky, it is claimed, was seen running toward the hills.

HELD FOR MURDER

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—Fredrick Miller was held to answer by Police Judge Fitzpatrick yesterday on a charge of having shot to death Jacob E. Breitwieser, an Alameda contractor. Miller formerly was a publisher of the Golden Gate and Octavia street, on June 27, after the two had quarreled over business matters.

DON'T WORRY ABOUT DESSERT

Why not relieve yourself of all the work, worry and doubt as to what to serve for dessert at dinner by ordering a brick of Lehnhardt's Special Ice Cream—90¢ quart brick delivered packed in ice—50¢ if you call for it at our store, 1315 Broadway, or phone Oak 496. LEHNHARDT'S—Advertisement.

New Tea Coat
Proves Comfort;
Also Beautiful



This gown of gold and green with an iridescent batch chiffon tea coat combined make a tea gown of regal beauty. Its comfort on these hot summer days is unbounded.

HILL ESTATE TO TOP 52 MILLION

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 10.—The value of the estate of James J. Hill, who died in this city May 29 of last year, was even greater than it was appraised. Louis V. Hill, executor of the estate, in a petition for examination of his accounting up to July 24 of this year, filed in probate court, places the aggregate gross value of the estate, real and personal property and the income received in the interim at \$52,883,519. Of this amount \$39,082,611 has already been distributed to the heirs. Inheritance and income taxes totalling \$1,535,762 have also been paid.

Capwells

This store is conforming to the rules adopted by the National Council of Defense regarding deliveries, exchanges, etc.

Capwells

Saturday the Last Day of the August Bedding Sales

Come tomorrow for the savings in Blankets, Comforters, Bedspreads, Sheets, Pillows, etc. Sales going on in Basement Store and third floor department

Handsome New Fall Coats



A splendid lot of new Fall coats now here at a price range to suit every pocketbook.

Materials of Bolivia cloth, silver-toned, velour, broadcloth, mixtures, duvetyne, plush, kersey, American burella, serge and tricotine.

Handsome, roomy, easy-to-slip-on styles for utility, traveling or dress wear. Large, shapely collars, roomy sleeves, smart linings, full and ample skirts, belts—all make them the handsomest coats we have seen in many a day. Abundant fur trimmings, bands, plush and karamie give them an added look of richness. Prices—\$18.75 to \$120.

Smart Tour-Rain Coats \$25 to \$37.50

Tweeds, mixtures and plaids in tailored, mannish styles with large collars and pockets. Strictly rain-proof. Wonderful auto and service coats.

—Second Floor

Great Neckwear Sale Special Purchase of Fall Styles

On Sale Saturday.

Regularly Valued to \$1.75

Every new Fall neckwear idea is in this special purchase snapped up by our buyer in New York and expressed out to us. A wide variety from which to choose as there are over a dozen different styles—all of the latest design—in

FAILE SILK SATIN CREPE DE CHINE
GEORGETTE CREPE PONGEE ORGANDIE
PIQUE LAWN GINGHAM JAP SILK

There are narrow, long line collars to fit over the collar of the tailored suit—notably the satin fold collar, and pique embroidered with colored dots, also sets of collars and cuffs and other charming models. For the one-piece frock are square and long shoulder models, one of the newest being of organdie with chic ruffles of net. Very new and appealing are the collars of organdie combined with gingham, and of gingham. Styles too numerous to mention—all shown for the first time.

—First Floor.

New things for men

Manhattan Shirts

New Fall Arrivals

of madras in newest stripings and latest colorings. A remarkable assortment of these favorite shirts in both stiff and French cuffs.

Prices—\$2.00, \$2.25 to \$5.00

Men's Good \$1.00 Shirts

Unexcelled for quality and attractive patterns and tailoring at the price. Cut full and carefully made of repps and madras. Soft French cuffs. In many different varieties of striped patterns. Sizes 14 to 17.

Flannel Shirts for Fall

In army drab and light and dark grays. Collars attached and two pockets. Sizes 14 to 17.

Prices—\$3.75, \$4 and \$4.50

Men's Lisle Hose, 25c Pair

Durable hose in black, gray, white, natural, Palm Beach, etc. Made with double heel and toe.

Men's Globe Union Suits

Medium weight lisle in white and ecru. Both short and long sleeves and knee or full length.

Prices—\$1.25 and \$2.00



Men's Winsted Underwear

Shirts and drawers in medium and heavy weight Australian wool. Ankle length and long sleeves. Splendid all year round quality garment.

Prices—\$1.25 and \$1.75

—Just inside 14th Street Entrance.

Saturday Sale Hair Goods

Special purchase of first quality switches in the hard-to-match drab shades—\$10.

Special purchase of gray switches in all shades from the gold with gray to the black with gray—\$2.95 to \$15.

EDNA TRANSFORMATIONS

The latest in jaynes and transformations. Made to cover injured or scanty locks. Also made to order from your own combings.

CURLS AND PUFFS

are both very fashionable this season. They can be made of your own combings at little expense.

Try our Hot Oil Shampoo for Dandruff—Mezzanine Floor

Comforts for the Bath

Bathasweet... 25c and 45c
Violet Ammonia... 25c
Red Feather Bath Crystals in Rose, Verbena or Cologne... 50c
4111 Bath Salt... 30c, 60c and \$1.20
Sea Salt, 25-lb. sack... 65c
Epsom Salt for Bathing, 25-lb. sack... \$1.00
Boraxo, to soften water... 10c and 25c
Bath Brushes... 50c to \$3.50
Bath Sprays... \$1.00 to \$2.50
Bath Sponges... 10c to \$1.50
Rubber Bath Sponges... 10c to \$2.00
Bath Mitts... 25c and 50c
Colgate's Bath Soap... 15c cake, \$1.50 dozen
Williams' Bath Soaps... 12c cake, \$1.25 dozen
Tocico Bath Soaps... 12c cake, \$1.25 dozen
Odorono, to stop perspiration... 20c, 45c and 90c
Nonspi... 35c
Mum, deodorant... 20c
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All-the-Year-Around
Toy Department
on the Third Floor

Capwells
Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Clay Streets

Millinery Sale!

150 Sample Hats for Fall

In Two Price Groups
\$5.00 and \$7.50



A great scoop. Fall hats at a lowered price right on the threshold of a new season.

A most fortunate special purchase on the part of our New York house.

Choice of a fine lot of satin and all-velvet hats in snug close-fitting styles and fashionable sailors. Most clever and unusual combinations of materials and colors.

Beautiful New Model Hats

FROM FASHION'S FOREMOST MAKERS

\$8.50, \$10.00 to \$15.00

The work of the world's master millinery designers. Specially designed of silk-back Lyons velvet, fine panne velvets, rich and handsome velours and smart beaver sailors.

Saturday is Children's Day

New Muslin Wear for Children

Muslin Drawers

Made in knickerbocker style and trimmed with hemstitching, lace and embroidery. Nicely made, well-wearing and lasters excellently. Sizes 2 to 10 years.

25c, 40c to 60c

NEW MUSLIN GOWNS

Dainty little models in both empire and straight slip-over models, pleasingly trimmed with lace, embroidery, beading and ribbons. Of good muslin, nainsook and lingerie cloth. 8 to 16 years. Prices—

65c, \$1.00 to \$1.75

GIRL'S PRINCESS SLIPS

A large assortment of princess slips—excellent in every way, materials, workmanship, wearing and laundering ability and style. Both empire and straight-line models, charmingly trimmed with laces and embroidery. Sizes 8 to 16 years. Price—

85c to \$3.50.

Kiddies' Flannelette Petticoats

Warm, cozy petticoats on little waists. Made of white and pink and blue striped flannelette of good quality. Sizes 2 to 8 years. Just the thing to keep the little folks comfortable on chilly days. Price—

50c

School Sweaters

Just the sort of good, serviceable and attractive sweater so popular for school wear. Smart belted model with ruff-neck collar and patch pockets in rose, Copenhagen and green. Fancy weave of good yarn. Sizes 8 to 12 years. Price—

\$2.95

NEW FALL COATS, DRESSES AND HATS

now in stock and fresh shipments arriving daily from New York.

—Children's Shop, Second Floor.

Outfit Your Boy at Capwells

Every mother of a boy in Alameda county should see the wonderful new suits we have assembled for the boys.

The boys themselves will be strong for them because they are cut and made in the new semi-pinchback models—the season's latest creations for the young chaps.

Mothers will like them because with all their good style, appearance and workmanship they are made like iron and will wear like iron.

School Suits

Made of sturdy wool materials in grays, brown and mixtures. New models with full cut knickers in sizes 7 to 17 years. Prices—

\$5.00 to \$7.50

Corduroy Norfolk Mixtures

Made from a most durable high-pile corduroy in a dark steel shade and guaranteed to give the best of satisfaction when worn by a manly American youngster. New pinch-back styles.

Sizes 8 to 17 years.

Extra Knickers to match. Prices—

\$7.50 \$2.00

Boys' Dress Suits

New Models and Fabrics.

Made Norfolk style with dark, neat colorings in velours, cashmeres, chevrons and serges. Sizes 8 to 16 years. Prices—

\$8.50, \$10 and \$12.50

Boys' Blouses and Shirts

Made from madras and percale in dark and light shades. Guaranteed fast colors. Sizes 8 to 15 years. Attached collar or neckband.

New shipment of Felt and Cloth Hats.

Leather Hand Bags \$1.00

20 Styles to Choose From

The fashionable strap-back hand purses containing 3 and 4 compartments, some with mirror and money pocket leather lined. Choice of the following leathers—vachette, dice grain, morocco grain, cobra grain and the railroad stripe. Many other shapes and styles suited to every taste. All attractively lined and fitted with coin purses and mirror. Genuine leather and well made.

First Floor.

Wirthmor Waists \$1.00

Four new and pretty styles go on sale tomorrow. The best value and prettiest styles in \$1.00 Waists made in America.

Butterick Patterns and Style Books for Fall Are Here

September patterns, Delineator and Fall style book now here.

SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTION—For three weeks we are offering the Delineator at a reduced price. Ask for particulars at the Pattern Department.

Bond Election, August 14, 1917

Public health is an asset. \$1,000,000 for a new conveniently located county hospital will be an economy. Vote and remind your friends to vote for the Hospital Bonds.

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BASEMENT STORE

Clearance Sale of

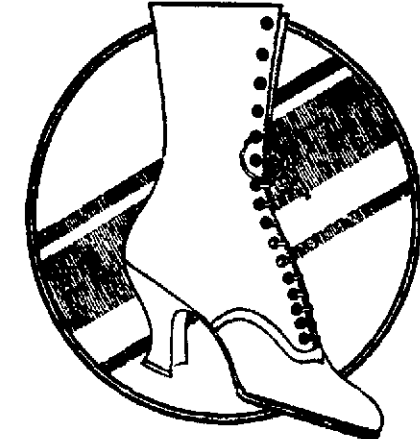
White Shoes

Grouping of three lots of attractive, serviceable white boots at a radically reduced price for quick disposal. Away under price, being formerly valued to \$4.50.

LOT I—

White Dress Shoes

\$2.35 pair



Stylish models of extra quality Sea Island cotton canvas and Reignskin cloth with white covered French Cuban heels.

LOT II—

White Walking Shoes \$2.35

Now come the days of the military heel! White shoes with low heels and white enameled soles. Durable Reignskin cloth and Sea Island canvas. Comfortable, serviceable and attractive.

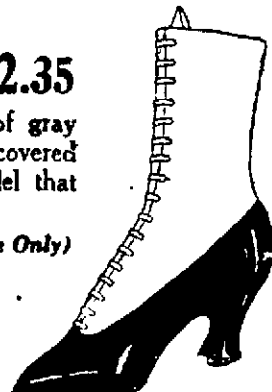
LOT III—

White and Gray Shoes \$2.35

Very fashionable two-tone shoes made of gray Reignskin cloth with white tops and covered French Cuban heels. A very dressy model that will give excellent service.

(On Sale in the Basement Store Only)

Capwells
Clay, 14th and 15th Sts., Oakland



BILL APPROVED BOYS DRAFTED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—President Wilson today approved the war insurance bill by which soldiers and sailors may provide for their families in case of injury or death while serving their country.

Here's That New Coat

We are
Featuring
at

\$19.50



Large fur collar Novelty pockets

These Special Coats are made of extra grade velour in practically all colors—Brown, Burgundy, Navy and other shades, also black. Belt all around, large pockets and many details.

Coats Up to \$79.50

Velvets, Broadcloths, Baffin Seal, Bolivias, Plushes, Poms Poms and Velours. Elaborate fur trimmings predominate, although there are many other novelty features worthy of mention, such as belt treatment, Military pockets, effective cuffs, etc.

THE TAUPES, New Brown, Mole, Peacock
COLORS: Blue, Navy, Burgundy, Green, Black

Oxford Suits \$25

MAN-TAILORED MODELS

These Oxford Suits are stunning in their simplicity. Peau de Cygne or guaranteed satin lining. Among our \$25 Suits are fancy Mixtures, Novelty Stripes and Navy Serge. Sizes 16 to 44.

SNAPPY SERGE DRESSES, \$19.50

Navy and Black Serge—Ladies' and Misses' sizes

Gould, Sullivan Co.

OAKLAND—SAN PABLO AVENUE, OPPOSITE CITY HALL
SAN FRANCISCO—322 MARKET STREET, NEAR POWELL

For Saturday, Another Lot of This
New Fall model,

High-Cut Kid
Lace Boots

Grey or Ivory \$5.95 Pair

Style exactly as pictured. Made of fine quality kid with hand-turned soles and graceful, high, covered French heels, with aluminum plates to prevent running over. To realize how great a bargain these boots are at \$5.95, the pair, get the high-rent stores' prices for similar style and quality. We have both colors in all sizes.

Lewis Sample
Shoe Co., Inc.

1118 WASHINGTON STREET near 12TH

POLICE SEEK
CHILD'S BODY;
COUPLE HELD

Accused by their fourteen-year-old daughter of having done away with a new-born babe three years ago, Joseph Gleason and his wife Helen, of 647 Fifth street, are held in the city prison under a charge of murder preferred by Inspector William Smith, have uncovered clues which convince them that a crime was committed.

Since their arrest August 4 the couple have told vivid and conflicting stories regarding the disposition of the body of their infant, which, the police say, is admitted to have been born on February 26, 1914, in a maternal hospital conducted by a Mrs. Ely for Dr. George H. Derrick at 828 Hobart street.

It was through revelations made by Myrlan Gleason, daughter of the couple, following alleged mistreatment at the hands of her parents, that the police were brought into the case. The girl said that her mother had taken the baby home from the hospital and that it was smothered in a bureau drawer, after which it was buried in the back yard in a suit-case.

The police spaded up a considerable portion of the yard, but found no traces of the burial. The Mrs. Gleason is said to have related that her husband threw the body into the estuary from the Webster street bridge. For his part, Gleason is alleged to have stated that the body was cremated in the furnace at a "clinic." The Gleasons, who have been estranged for some time, it is said, were taken into custody separately by the police and have not conversed since they were lodged in the city prison under detinue.

CLUB LEADERS IN
STATE SESSION

The first board meeting of the year of the second California Parent-Teacher Association, was held yesterday at Hotel Ramona in San Francisco. Mrs. C. R. Kelly, the newly-elected president, presiding. Three new departments have been added to the regular work of the association, to wit, more service and fund-raising day.

The annual luncheon of the important organization is being planned for Tuesday, September 11, at the St. Francis across the bay. The next board meeting

is the following places have been named for the succeeding meetings. Oakland, December, Berkeley, February, San Francisco, April. A President's Congress will be held in San Mateo on November 8.

The district is being held to all schools where, as yet, no parent-teacher association has been organized, to immediately establish such a club to take up the vital matters which have been outlined in the year's program.

A new parent-teacher association is being organized this afternoon in the Sequoia School by Mrs. L. C. Grasser, chairman of club extension. This will be the youngest club in the Oakland Federation. Laurel School Parent-Teachers' Association, which, through the summer months, has been doing an active Red Cross work, is formally opening its new club year this afternoon also. The officers of the club are: President, Mrs. D. J. Harrison, vice-president, Mrs. Ida H. Bunt, past president, Mrs. Ota Bowers, treasurer, Mrs. Ida Woolridge, secretary, Mrs. Jean Sommers, federation delegate, Mrs. H. E. Person.

BANKRUPT CASES.

John H. Ludermeyer, who runs a delicatessen store, and Frank A. Ledgett, have encountered financial difficulties. Ludermeyer has filed petition in the Federal Court asking to be declared a bankrupt. He says his debts are \$7208 and assets \$124. Ledgett was declared a bankrupt. He owed \$425 and had \$50 assets.

PIMPLES ON FACE
FOR THREE YEARS

In Awful Looking Condition. Itched and Burned. Could Hardly Sleep. 3 Cakes Cuticura Soap and 2 Boxes of Ointment Completely Healed.

"I was covered with pimples that began with too much oil about my face and arms, and my face was rough. The pimples were large and red and they festered and came to a head. They came in blotches and my face was in an awful looking condition. The pimples itched and burned and I could hardly sleep. This trouble lasted fully three years.

"I used many remedies which were of no success. Then I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After using three cakes of Cuticura Soap and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment I was completely healed." (Signed) J. J. Tichy, 2631 Ash Street, Astoria, Oregon.

Unightly complexioners are often a bar to social and business success. Having cleared your skin with Cuticura why not keep it clear by using the Soap for every-day toilet purposes.

For Free Sample Each by Return Mail address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. H, Boston." Sold everywhere Soap 25c. Ointment 25c and 50c.

ARE YOU SATISFIED

with your progress in life? Are you really succeeding? Or just holding a job?

Do you watch the Help Wanted Ads daily? The TRIBUNE introduces you to every opportunity in Alameda County. Will you let your chance slip by because you are not watching?

Do you advertise? Why wait for your chance to come? Why not meet it?

Job Printing at The TRIBUNE Office.

HUSBAND DIES
IN AUTO WHILE
HIS WIFE VISITS

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 16.—While his pretty 28-year-old wife and Dr. Joseph Smith sat in Dr. Hugh T. Smith's parlor last night Dr. Smith died alone outside in the tonneau of his automobile, where he had been left by his wife and Jobitt because, as Mrs. Smith told the coroner's office, "he did not want to go home to see me dragging my husband to the house as if he were drunk."

Smith, in a blunder from drinking "peppermint essence," which was 85 per cent alcohol, was left in his machine by his wife and Jobitt. When they went out they found him huddled in a heap in the tonneau of his car dead.

DEMAND FOR WAR
BOOKS INCREASES

Declaring that books on shipbuilding, airplanes, submarines and all Federal reference books on military, naval and preparedness topics are in tremendous demand, City Librarian Charles S. Greene has filed his annual report on library affairs with the board of directors for the year ending June, 1917. The report points out the phenomenal growth of the library itself and gives some interesting indications on the literary choice of Oakland's reading public in wartime.

More than 3864 volumes and pamphlets were catalogued during the year, an increase of 635 over last year's record. New cards to the number of 4993 were also filed, or 430 more than in 1916. More than 562 books were repaired in the main and branch libraries during the twelve months. 7074 books and pamphlets showed an increase of 2.68 per cent, where 7074 books and pamphlets were catalogued during the year. In the branch catalogs more than 18,793 cards were filed, and 6518 new volumes purchased for their use. The average cost per volume is 83 cents. Pictures to the number of 40,008 were counted for circulation, the total for which amounted to 13,000. More than 24,431 copies of vespers anthems have been used by churches during the year.

The report pays high tribute to the memory of Mrs. Elizabeth Slattery, of the bookbinding department, who died in February, for faithful service and attention to duty.

MAY RAISE RATE

PORT COSTA, Aug. 16.—The Port Costa Warehouse and Dock Company, by John A. Xerox, its president, has filed with the Railroad Commission an application for authority to raise rates for storage and handling of grain from 50c a ton for the first two months or any part thereof to 50c a ton for the first month and 60c a ton for the second month, or any part thereof, and to increase the rates for the cost of labor and supplies necessary in the operation of the warehouse have greatly increased since the present schedules went into effect. The company paid \$10 an hour for labor at Port Costa at that time and now pays 50c. The California Wharf and Warehouse Company by W. I. Shaw, its vice-president, has filed with the Railroad Commission an application for authority to raise its warehouse rates at Port Costa. Its schedules now are the same as the Port Costa Warehouse and Dock Company and it wants the same increases.

TO OPEN BRANCH

Branch offices of the State Corporation Department will be opened Monday at 409-17 New Call building, San Francisco, where applications and all matters connected with the administration of the blue sky law may be filed. The necessity for San Francisco quarters in order that investigations may be promptly conducted and applications from the bay district receive immediate consideration has long been realized and Corporation anticipates that this work department will be greatly expedited. The offices will be in charge of Chief Deputy Horace J. Brown, and S. A. Kahlert, secretary of the department. Mr. Brown, who will also be stationed in San Francisco. The main office, as required by the statute, will still be maintained in Sacramento and the branch office continued at Los Angeles.

PHIL COHEN GONE

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—Phil Cohen, friend of the sailors of this port for the last half century, put away yesterday for his last long sleep, and friends high and low from all walks of life will miss him for the little barber shop on East street at the foot of Sacramento, where he has held forth since the early 60s. In addition to being a barber he was closely identified with Captains Harry Scatz, Foster Denman, Hendricks and others prominent in the ship and deep water commerce, and he is said to have amassed a fortune through his interests in several ships. Cohen was a native of Germany. He left a widow, a brother, Max Cohen, and a sister, Mrs. Yetta Gatz. He was a member of Pacific Lodge No. 136, F. & A. M., under whose auspices the funeral was held.

DEATH IS MYSTERY

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—An element of mystery surrounds the discovery of the body of Frank Balettrieri, 14-year-old fisher lad, of 568 Chestnut street, in the water near Fisherman's wharf this morning. The boy's cap, picked up on the deck of the Nada Gunka, where Balettrieri usually worked, gave the first clew to his disappearance. He had last been seen alive on the wharf at 6.30 o'clock last night. When his cap was found fishermen trawled up the boat and soon brought the body to the surface. There were no marks of violence and it is evident that the lad was either thrown into the water or fell and struck his head against one of the boats. This might have stunned him and caused his drowning. He was known as a good swimmer and a clever sailor.

BANKS TO MERGE

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 16.—Announcement was made today that steps would be taken within a day or two to merge the International Savings and Exchange Bank of this city with the Bank of Italy, Los Angeles representative of the Bank of Italy, which has headquarters in San Francisco, and branches here and in other cities of California. The international has total resources of more than \$4,000,000.

CALIFORNIAN KILLED.

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 16.—J. F. Burton, a cotton planter, who formerly lived in the Imperial valley of California and the Salt River valley of Arizona, was shot and killed at his farm near Tornillo, Texas. Mexicans are believed to have murdered the planter.

LOCAL MEN ARE
MADE OFFICERS

Names of prominent men of the east-bay district are included among the telegraphic approvals of commissions from the War Department for the 1500 students of the reserve officers' training camp who have been chosen for shoulder straps in the regular army. The commissions will not become available until August 15, at which time a full and complete list of the appointments will be made.

Information received at the office of Commandant Colonel F. W. Sladen at Los Francisco brings information that Dean David P. Barrows of the University of California is to be a major of cavalry, unmounted; Benjamin Webb Wheeler, son of President Benjamin H. Wheeler of the University of California, is to be a lieutenant; Stanley Richardson, California '08, who won national notice of football prowess, will be captain of field artillery, while Edward Valentine of Berkeley is to be commissioned as infantry lieutenant.

Paralleling Dean Barrows' appointment Harry C. Breckenridge, former assistant secretary of war, and Attorney Bertram L. Caldwell are commissioned as infantry majors. They have been trained in fifth company, under Major Wilson B. Burr, U. S. A., mentioned by Ambassador James W. Gerard as one of the six American army officers who spent much time behind the German lines as official observers in 1915.

PASTOR TO WORK
AT AERO STATIONS

Rev. Roy H. Campbell, pastor of the Calvary Congregational Church, has been granted a six months' leave of absence and will leave immediately for religious work at North Island, Fort Rosencrans and Imperial Beach, three of the main government aviation stations near San Diego.

Rev. Mr. Campbell was pastor of the Congregational Church at Palo Alto for five years before being called to Oakland. He was elected moderator of the bay conference last year and is a delegate from the Ministers' Federation to the Central Labor Council. He is a former Pomona College football star and a graduate of the University of California.

Rev. Mr. Campbell's service in the army camps will be under the direction of the National War Work Council of the Young Men's Christian Association of San Francisco.

DIETARY LECTURE

A demonstration and lecture on the use of plain food and its relation to the diet will be given at the domestic science laboratory of the Young Women's Christian Association, 1515 Webster street, tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock by Mrs. M. B. Davenport of the agricultural extension staff of the University of California. This is the fourth lesson of a supplementary course of six demonstrations arranged under the direction of Miss Lillian D. Clark to help housewives to meet more adequately the questions arising out of the war emergency.

LEAGUE TO MEET

The Child's Welfare League of Alameda county will resume activities this season with a meeting next Monday afternoon at which Harrison Robinson, president of the Alameda County Society for the Prevention and Cure of Tuberculosis, will speak on the bonds to be voted upon in the coming election. The address will be given at Hotel Oakland at 2 o'clock, following a 2.30 o'clock business session. Mrs. A. D. Kennedy will preside.

ANNUAL REUNION

Calaveras Society Day will be celebrated on Sunday, August 19, at a picnic and reunion which will be held at East Shore Park. A large number of former residents from Calaveras county, Sacramento and Stockton are expected, and for that reason each member of the society is asked to provide luncheon for two. Dancing will be enjoyed during the day.

The officers of the Calaveras Society are: President, Mrs. Mary Young Young; secretary, Mrs. J. E. Terrill.

FOUR WOMEN
TESTIFY

Positive Proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Their Health.

Yonkers, N. Y.—"I suffered from a bad case of female trouble, backache, nervousness and indigestion. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health after everything else had failed."—Mrs. H. J. L. FEATHER, 61 Hamilton Ave., Yonkers, N. Y. Danville, Ill.—"I would not be alive today had it not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as it cured me from a severe case of female trouble."—Mrs. O. A. COE, Easttown Road, Danville, Ill.

Ridgway, Pa.—"I wish all women who suffer from female troubles would take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as I avoided a surgical operation by its use."—Mrs. O. M. RHINES, Ridgway, Pa.

North Haven, Conn.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health after everything else had failed when passing through change of life. There is nothing like it to overcome the trying symptoms."—Mrs. FLORENCE ISZLA, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.

The many convincing testimonials constantly published in the newspapers ought to be proof enough to women who suffer from those distressing little pests to their sex that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the medicine they need.

MAYR'S
Wonderful Remedy for
STOMACH TROUBLE

One dose convinces. Oggood's Dept. Drug Stores and other reliable druggists. —Adv.

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THESE PRICES TALK
PACIFIC SALES CO.
531 12th St. Det. Clay & Washington

Groceries	Miscellaneous
CRISCO—Medium 75c	60c Ladies' Flannel Gowns 29c
CRISCO—Small 38c	Children's School Dresses 39c
HERSHEY'S 121c	Ladies' and Boys' Khaki Coats 25c
COCOA 33c	Ladies' Ribbed Underwear 25c
Large Bottle 121c	Ladies' Muslin Drawers 19c
H-O MUSH—121c	\$1.00 Ladies' Gingham Dresses go at 69c
Our Price 17c	\$3.50 Men's Dress Shoes \$2.65
BOOTH'S 71c	\$6.00 Men's Dress Shoes \$3.95
SARDINES 71c	\$2.50 Boys' Gun Metal Shoes \$1.69
Egg Noodles and Macaroni 71c	\$3.00 Men's Work Shoes \$1.98
DUTCH CLEANSER 71c	Children's Patent Dress Shoes 98c
WHITE NAVY SOAP, 6 FOR 51c	\$2.00 Genuine President Suspenders 25c
OCTAGON SOAP 7c	75c Heavy Ribbed Underwear 49c
THELMA PORK AND BEANS 41c	15c Men's Sox 10c
BIRD'S EYE MATCHES 41c	Men's Hart, Schaffner & Marx Suits \$12.95
CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP, 6 FOR 27c	\$3.50 Corduroy Pants \$2.69
ARGO GLOSS STARCH 4c	75c Men's Chambray Work Shirts 48c
QUEEN LILY SOAP, 3 FOR 25c	
40c KREAM KRISP 29c	
35c COFFEE—Special 19c	

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FROM THE POOLE PIANO COMPANY, BOSTONFine Selection
FULLY GUARANTEED

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Oak, Mahogany, Walnut, in Both High and Dull Finishes

\$230 Each For One Day Only, Saturday

These Pianos cost us \$205 on our floor—we will show the invoice, and we buy them at the right price. This is the opportunity of a lifetime to buy a Standard High-Grade Piano at practically factory cost. We invite close inspection.

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44 Years in Oakland The Old Reliable Piano House
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THIS COUPON
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\$25
FOR A SUIT
AS PICTURED
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At this price we have a wonderful assortment to choose from—you'll surely find just the suit that becomes you at this price. If you desire a better one, we have them up to \$75—splendid examples of the tailor's art.

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BARGAIN TABLE DAY

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OnlyFOLLOW THE
CROWD AND
YOU'LL FINDMoney-Saving
PRICES ON
EVERYTHING

Our Bargain Tables and Squares will be money-saving spots on Saturday. You will find them filled with attractive offerings, specially priced for a single day's selling—SATURDAY ONLY

Bond Election
August 14th
1917

—An average of 2 1/2¢ on \$100 per year in taxes will pay for the \$1,000,000 Bond Issue for a new hospital. If the bonds are not voted it will cost 45¢ on \$100 to build out of one year's tax levy.

Girls' Middy
Suits
\$2.39

Made of white galatea, with deep circular collar and cuffs. Belt and skirt trimmed with Roman and Sport Striped Crepe. Ages 8 to 14.

Children's
Sun Hats
19c

Odds and Ends of Sun Hats and Bonnets of gingham, chambray, pique and lawn. Some slightly soiled.

PERCALE
Kitchen
Aprons
17c

Bib and waist models in Percale Kitchen Aprons. A large assortment to select from. Worth a great deal more than 17c.

Novelty Jewelry

—Gold Plated, Sterling Silver, and Stone Set Novelty Jewelry. Worth two to three times the sale price—

Brooches 25c
Bar Pins
Braid Pins
Barrettes
Ear Knobs
Hat Pins
Cuff Links
NecklacesLadies'
Neckwear
1.9c

Well made, stylish pieces from a maker of tasty high-class neckwear. Priced much under worth.

Women's
Vests
15c

Plain or fancy yokes, Swiss Ribbed, regular and extra sizes. Special for Saturday only.

Silk Taffeta
Ribbons
19c yd.

Heavy all-silk Taffeta Ribbons in all colors in plain or moire 5 1/2 inches wide. Bows tied while you wait.

Important
Notice!

Kahn's conforms to the rulings of the Council of National Defense concerning deliveries and exchanges. One delivery a day—48-hour time limit on return charges for special deliveries.

Wash
Laces
5c yd.

Extra quality wash laces, 2 to 5 inches in width. Good patterns.

Twelve
Useful
Notion
SpecialsSkirt Markers... 25c
Skirt Hangers... 40c
Cabinet Hair Pins, box... 80c
Pearl Buttons, card... 80c
Scissors, assorted sizes... 10c
Pin Cushions... 4c
Thumbtacks... 4c
Safety Pins... 10c
Corset Steels... 10c
Snap Fasteners... 4c
Spool Silk... 4c
Dressmakers' Pins, box... 8cPetticoat
Embroideries
25c yd.

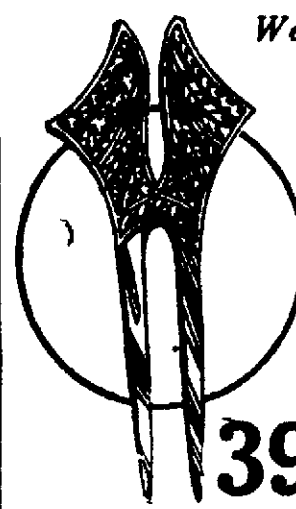
12 to 18 inches wide in distinctly handsome designs. Extra special.

FACTORY MENDED
Gloves
\$1.35

Real kid, glove kid, lambskin and cape. Paris Point and heavily embroidered. Wonderful values.

2176 Pieces of Novelty Shell Goods

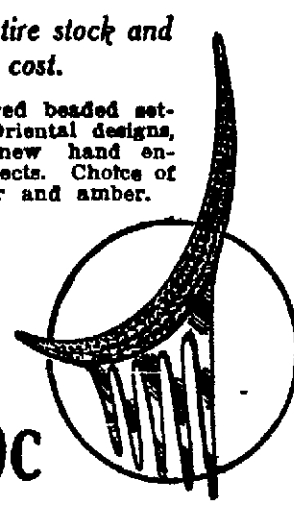
We purchased an Eastern Manufacturer's entire stock and offer them to you at less than wholesale cost.



Choice of Combs, Barrettes, Fancy Pins, stone settings in white and colors.

39c

Also colored beaded settings in Oriental designs, including new hand engraved effects. Choice of shell color and amber.



39c

STAMPED
Luncheon
Sets
33c

14-piece Stamped Luncheon Sets of white pear linen.

WOMEN'S LISLE
FINISHED
Hose
27 1/2c—PAIR
Black and white hose with reinforced heels and toes. All sizes.Princess
and
Parisian
Lady
Corsets
\$1.48

In medium, low and high busts; long skirts; well boned; wide clasp. Sizes 13 to 22. A wonderful bargain at \$1.48.

Men's Work
Shirts
48c

Blue Chambray Work Shirts, well made and full cut. Sizes 14 to 17.

Leather Tip
Suspenders
29c

A good Lisle Web Leather Tip Suspenders in regulation length.

Bargains in Boys'
Scouting ShoesSizes 9 to 13 1/2
\$1.65
pr.
Sizes 1 to 5 1/2
\$1.85

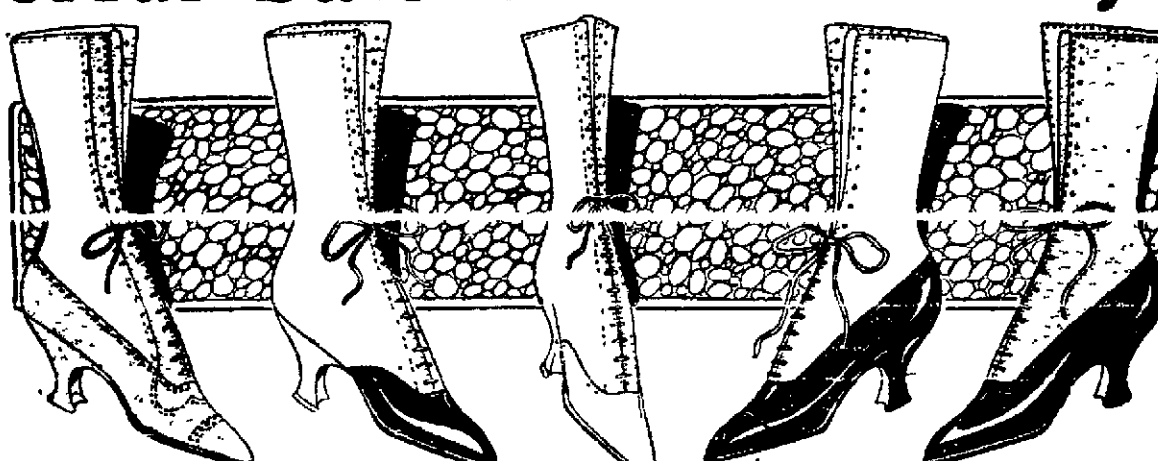
BOYS' SCOUTING SHOES—Made of dark brown muleskin, toughest wearing leather made. ELK SKIN BOLES—Solid leather insoles and heels. All sizes from 9 to 5 1/2—school and everyday wear—a limited quantity—while they last—come early.

Our August White Sale Is Breaking All Records

Wonderful Sale of Fall Novelty Boots

\$4.85

Early this spring, anticipating the advance in fancy colored leathers, we placed orders for these shoes.



\$4.85

This reason ONLY enables us to offer this excellent lot of Fancy Novelty Boots at this price.

PEARL GRAY KID BOOTS—Extra high military cut; tops to match; covered French heels with aluminum plates; beautiful high arched dress lasts.

IVORY KID BOOTS—12 inch high cut in lace with tops to match; French heels, perfect fitting ankles; handsome, plain dress toe shapes.

NOVELTY COMBINATION BOOTS—High cut lace French heels; full black kid vamps, with white, gray or ivory kid tops.

SPORT MODELS, military cut lace high cut with the Popular Low Military Heels—all tan and Havana. Brown, white washable kid and buck leathers.

\$4.85

\$1 Dollar Special

For Misses and Children

White "Mary Jane," tailored bows, with all skin soles. Sizes 3 1/2 to 2.

White—Calf Perfection sandals, with all skin soles. Sizes 3 1/2 to 2.

\$1

Our August White Sale Offers Unparalleled Bargains

Sport Suits
Wonderful Values

Choice of our entire stock of Sport Middy Suits. Just 47 in the lot.

Lingerie
Waists
39c

Odds and ends from our regular stocks. Exceptional values.

Big Sale of
Tub Skirts
98c

Made of linens, basket weaves and poplins in stripes, figures and Khaki Kool patterns. You will want more than one of them. Come early for choice of this lot.

Breakfast
Suits
79c

Clever Breakfast Suits—colors are pink and blue. You'll buy several of these.

Junior Tub
Dresses
for School
69c

—Ginghams and Percals in checks and plain colors. Sizes 13 and 15 only.

Middy Blouses
Exceptional Values

Plain white and Sport Middles that are wonderful bargains for 89c.

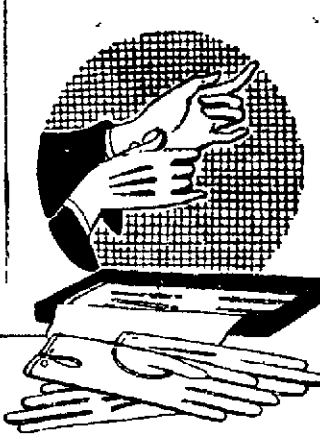
Silk
Waists
\$1.89

Tub Silk Waists in sport stripes and solid colors—the newest styles.

White Skirts
89c

White Galatea Outing Skirts with pocket and belt, gathered back.

Kahn's Gloves, Styles and Prices



Are Very Interesting

—IMPORTED LAMBSKIN—All white and white with black embroidery and finishings. Full P. K. sewn; sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2. \$1.65 fitted. Special, per pair.

—BLACK LAMBSKIN GLOVES—Full P. K. sewn, 1-clasp, fitted; sizes 5 1/2 to 8. Very special, pair... \$1.35

—TWO-CLASP FRENCH REAL KID GLOVES—Pique with three rows embroidery; a dressy, dainty glove; sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2. Pair... \$2.25

Choice of Any
Summer Suit

in the house

At two sale prices

\$10 AND \$15

An immediate clearance without reserve. Everyone of them to be sold regardless of former selling prices or cost

Bargains at Drug Dept.

Special Attractions for Saturday

100 Cascara Tablets, 5-grain... 23¢
25c French Ivory Polish... 21¢
Bar French Castile Soap... 23¢
American Mineral Oil—3 bottles... \$1.00
FREE with every box Madeline (French) Face Powder, a 10c Wool or Velour Powder Puff
SPECIAL ONE DAY ONLY—Dr. Brady's Vegetable Oil Soap—4 CAKES 25¢
Green Soap, 3 ounces... 18¢
Lister's Solution, pint... 38¢
Theatrical Cream, pound... 33¢
10c Cake El Perfecto Castile Soap—4 cakes... 25¢
Drug Department, Main Floor

Hosiery and Underwear

CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR—Made of soft finished Bleached Cotton; vest cut low neck, no or short sleeves, knee length pants; all sizes. 25c
Per garment.
WOMEN'S SLEEVELESS VEST, "MILL SECONDS"—Lisle finished, cut full size; an extra good wearing vest. Sizes 4, 5, 6. 23c
WOMEN'S SUMMER UNION SUITS—Bleached soft finished cotton, low neck, no sleeves; tight or lace trimmed; knee length. Sizes 34 to 38. 25c
WOMEN'S COTTON UNDERWEAR—A good wearing garment. Vest, Pants and Tights; regular and extra sizes, garment. 29c
BOYS' SCHOOL HOSE, properly reinforced to give good school wear. Sizes 6 to 9 1/2. 15c
WOMEN'S FIBRE SILK HOSE—Black and white, double thread heels and toes; elastic lisle garter tops, pair. 59c
WOMEN'S KAYSER VEST—Hand-made yoked Swiss ribbed. Sizes 36 and 38. 37 1/2c
INFANTS' SILK HOSE—"Mill seconds" Pure thread silk, white only. Sizes 4, 4 1/2, 5, 5 1/2; pair. 34c
WOMEN'S LISLE FINISHED HOSE—Made to wear, deep elastic garter tops; reinforced at heels and toes; sizes 3 1/2 to 10. Pair. 29c

Candy Special Ass'd Buttercups Taffies, Delicious 30c lb

Save at Kahn's Grocerteria

BUTTER Fancy Creamery 2 lbs. 95c EGGS Best Ranch Doz. 46c
DOMINO, BIRDSEYE, SEARCH-LIGHT MATCHES—Kahn's price, pkg. 5c
DILL PICKLES—Large tin, Kahn's price 16c
SHRIMPED WHEAT—Kahn's price, pkg. 12c
ARGO STARCH—Kahn's price, pkg. 4c
PAROXYL—Kahn's Price, pkg. 13c
CHLORIDE OF LIME—Kahn's price, pkg. 9c
BAKED BEAN—Large tin, Kahn's price 9c
ORANGE—Late Valencia doz. 18c
APPLES—Alexander market 16 lbs. 45c
BASKET STRAWBERRY PEACHES 14c
RED RUTABAGAS 7 lbs. 10c
POTATOES—9 lbs. 25c

CARPENTERS' ARMY STRIKE IS SETTLED

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—The strike of carpenters at four army cantonments was settled today at a conference here between the American Federation of Labor, chief of yards and docks; John Moffitt of the department of labor; and Henry Steers, contractor of Pelham Bay Park Marine cantonment. The strike had threatened to spread to all army camps.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—Just as Governor Lowden of Illinois arrived here for his final battle with the coal operators over coal prices operators received word that strikes were called today by coal miners in mines operated by the Superior Coal Company at Chicago and Alton mines at Thayer and Darlingtonville; Consolidated Coal Company mines at Madison, and the Missouri Pacific mines at Bush. The coal situation in the Middle West was further aggravated by the threat of 2500 miners in Kentucky and Tennessee to walk out tomorrow. Several hundred miners in this district struck yesterday.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 10.—Between 3500 and 4000 miners employed by the Superior Coal Company at Gilman, Springfield, Mount Olive, Sawyer and other small towns in the vicinity went out on strike today. The miners walked out early this morning in sympathy with striking "mule drivers," who struck for an increase of \$1 a day. These men work by the day and are now receiving \$3.50.

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 10.—Employees of the Washoe smelter at Anaconda, which reduces a fifth of the country's copper ore, probably will vote to strike when a referendum is taken Monday on the question of accepting the wage scale offered by the Anaconda Copper Mining Company, according to labor leaders here today. Many Austrians are employed in the smelter, and it is declared that friends of Frank Little have influenced the smeltermen in favor of a strike. Approval of the action of Congresswoman Jeanette Rankin in attacking the "rustling card" system, and also for her attack in Congress upon John D. Ryan, president of the Anaconda company, was voiced unanimously by miners and smeltermen here.

BISBEE VIGILANTES STILL IN CONTROL

TUCSON, Ariz., Aug. 10.—A telephone message from Bisbee last evening said that Governor Campbell had asked that Federal troops be sent to the Warren district, but the report was denied this morning by Campbell. The governor said he had not yet called for troops, that he would have a full discussion with the sheriff of the county and the mayor before taking action, and that he hoped they would take his advice and agree on a course that would guarantee citizens their rights and at the same time prevent a recurrence of trouble in the Warren mining district.

The following account of conditions in Bisbee and the surrounding district is taken from reports and statements of Arizona officials. The business men and other citizens of Bisbee are standing behind the Loyalty League and the Vigilance Committee, which is reporting all persons believed connected with the I. W. W. from the Warren district. Wiley Jones, attorney general, who has been investigating conditions, found the committee in full control, supported by the county supervisors and the sheriff. He came to the conclusion that proceedings in the county to stop deportations would be futile. The Vigilance Committee meets daily and takes up the cases of men charged with being sympathizers with the I. W. W. The committee is composed of about twenty members. When they learned that the State Federation of Labor was about to send a committee to Bisbee to investigate industrial conditions, the Vigilance Committee met and took up the question of whether they should be admitted or turned back. The decision was practically unanimous to turn back the committee, and the marshal was ordered to see that they did not enter the district. The judgment of the committee was carried out.

While before the committee Jones pointed out that there was no warrant of law for the existence of the committee, or its course in deporting citizens from the community, but the committeemen flatly told Jones that they intended continuing their sittings and ordering and executing deportations as long as the I. W. W. activity continued, as to do otherwise would cut off copper production there.

RAISE IS GRANTED

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—An increase of from 11 to 15 per cent in wages of 18,000 employees of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad shops was announced here today. The advance goes into effect September 1.

Every Summer Suit, Including Silks, Greatly Reduced

Cherry's offer you the biggest bargain you ever had for \$24.50. Silk Suits that formerly sold for \$49.50, \$45.00, \$37.50 and \$35.00 are to be sold for \$24.50.

Other Suits of Serge, Pique, Tulle, Poplin, etc., are also reduced to \$21.50.

You can have these Suits charged and pay for them while you are wearing them. Only a small amount down at time of purchase and the balance in easy payments.

Ladies' store 515 13th St.; men's store 525 10th St. — new furniture store on Fourteenth street, near Clay.—Advertisement.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

If all the housewives in the East Bay cities knew how easy it was to have Lehmann's ice cream specialties in back form there would be less cooking complaints about the daily problem of what to have for dessert. Quarts Specials 50¢, delivered at your door. All you do is phone Oak. 494.—Advertisement.

PRISONER PLACED IN JAIL; SHERIFF NOT USED TO IT

YUBA CITY, Aug. 10.—J. F. McAllister stole a pair of shoes and some worn-out trousers and a moth-eaten blanket from a Sutter county cabin last Sunday. He was arrested. He was the first prisoner they had had in the county jail for months.

Today the acting sheriff ordered the jail swept. They swept it once a week to keep it shipshape in case some tenants might unexpectedly appear. The sweeper found McAllister.

"What are you doing here?" he demanded.

"I stole a pair of old shoes," McAllister answered in a weak voice.

"How long have you been here?"

"Since Sunday."

McAllister was half starved. It had been so long since they had a prisoner in the Sutter county jail that they had forgotten about McAllister.

JEW S STARVING

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—Jews in Warsaw are starving, according to a letter the authenticity of which is vouched for by the provisional Zionist committee made public here.

"Death from starvation is a real fact," the letter said. "It is witnessed in every street, in every house Jewish mothers feel happy to see their nursing babies die. At least they are through with their suffering."

"Our wealthiest people cut off their daughters' hair and sell it to be able to buy the indispensable things, like bread, for their dying children."

KILL FATHER IN RESCUE ATTEMPT

COLUSA, Aug. 10.—In an effort to save their father, George Weeth, 49, a rich Butte country farmer, who was pinned under his car when it was overturned at Leesville, near here, the Misses Weeth lifted the heavy machine, but let it drop upon his neck, breaking it and killing him.

Weeth, with his two daughters, was driving from Hough Springs, a resort in Colusa county, whether he had gone to summon two of his laborers to appear before the exemption board. He believed they had forgotten the call and hoped to save them trouble.

On the return trip to Colusa the brakes of his car gave way and the automobile turned over. The girls and Weeth were pinned beneath it, but they escaped practically unharmed.

Weeth, while free under the car, was unable to crawl out, and urged his daughters to pry the car up instead they attempted to lift it.

The body was shipped to Gridley by Coroner McNary.

PLAN NEW CALL

FAIRFIELD, Aug. 10.—The last of the 600 young men who were included in the first call for the National Army were given their physical examination here today and the local board will now prepare its report on those who are exempt from duty.

The members of the local board are also authorized that 500 additional notices will be made at once that the first 400 youths will be summoned to the county seat a week from tomorrow at the very latest.

FOR NEGRO PARTY

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 10.—More than a thousand negro leaders will meet here August 23 and 24 to organize a new national political party, which it is hoped by the organizers of the movement, will hold the balance of power in elections between the Republican and Democratic parties. The nucleus of the new

PAPER COFFINS

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 10.—Coffins of waterproofed card board are now being made in Germany, according to the Tageliche Rundschau of Berlin. The lids are glued instead of being nailed down.

party is the National Independent Political League, which has been in existence seven years and has 300,000 members.

ANNULS MARRIAGE

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 10.—Upon the request of the husband, who declared he is a mulatto and his wife a white woman, Judge Busick today annulled the marriage of Levi C. Talbot and Margaret A. M. Talbot.

They were married in Stockton in June, 1906, after being unable to secure a marriage license in Sacramento. They lived together only six months.

ZOO FOR SALE

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 10.—Anyone desiring a pet buffalo, a docile bear or two, a corvete, elk or deer can buy them in Portland cheap. This city's zoo, at least the greater part of it, will be sold at auction August 27.

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Also tires for motor trucks, motor cycles, bicycles, and aeroplanes



Society

Once upon a time a woman of the smart set was she who was mistress in the arts of the fan, the dance and the harpichord. But those days are no more. They are buried deep and safe in a dim and forgotten past, where are the ghosts of many another pretty but impractical idea. If a suggestion of this fine old lavender remained in the hearts of the present generation the war days have banished it quite. There is not a girl but who in some way can efficiently do her "bit" without a trifling bit at that. Miss Josephine Parrott, belonging to the prominent old California family, has already placed herself at the command of the government. She is an all round and ready secretary, having the best business training in office work that diligence and opportunity can combine to give. Miss Marjorie Merritt, the clever daughter of the locally important family after whom Lake Merritt is named and which gave to the city the Merritt hospital, has made a unique place for herself in laboratory work. Some few months ago she volunteered her services to the Letterman hospital and a little later a substantial offer arrived from Washington with her appointment secure for her to continue. Miss Marjorie Slate, the popular daughter of Professor Slate of the University of California, was among the girls to go into the college of agriculture for a serious purpose with the result that she is an authority on poultry raising and is associated with the staff. It was she who made of a cast-off piano box the model chicken house which is being shown as a part of the downtown exhibit under the mobilized women's organizations of Berkeley, with all the proper data and statistics complete.

Miss Martha Chickering, the daughter of Mrs. W. H. Chickering of Piedmont, has made her mark in authority on matters pertaining to emigration and is doing a splendid work in the campaign to Americanize the foreigner in our midst. Ambulance driving has a romantic side which has appeal by reason of its dangers and gallantry to a whole procession of the younger set. The Mitchell girls of Alameda—Miss Alexine and her sister—are already at the front, proving the valor of the western women. Miss Elva, Ghirardelli and Miss Elinor Parker have taken a course in this sort of work, with Miss Katherine Mills daily applying herself to the requirements of a rigid instruction. Miss Katherine Crellin is in training for hospital work and there is a host of some of the most exclusive girls who thoroughly love the dance and their games of bridge who have put their fun aside insofar as it has interfered with their application to the current and dashes of the abbreviated and its translation on the machine. Miss Helen Crocker is a good stenographer. Miss Amy Long, Miss Avis Sterling, the niece of Mrs. Frank C. Stevens, Miss Dorothy Taylor, Miss Alice Shinn, Miss Lucy Shinn—they are but a few of the younger set who are ready as experienced secretaries for war service.

Tomorrow evening is the wedding of Miss Ruth Elder, the pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Elder, and Dr. William Noble Lacey. The ceremony will have the Elder residence in Berkeley as its setting and its reading by Rev. George Eldredge of St. John's Presbyterian Church, will be witnessed by several four score close friends. Miss Rachel Elder will attend her sister as maid of honor, with Dr. Thomas Buck assisting the bridegroom as best man. The wedding will be among the most elaborate of the month, the sumptuous service to be followed by a reception and supper before Dr. Lacey and his bride leave on their honeymoon. The Elders are numbered with the older families in the bay cities. Before establishing their home in Berkeley they resided in the East Oakland district, where they claim a large number of friends. Dr. Lacey has been connected with the faculty of Throop Institute in Southern California. He has just received his commission as first lieutenant in the ordnance department, with his future movements to be determined by the orders which are on the way from Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sellender are entertaining as their house guests Mr. and Mrs. Lacey, who have motored up from the south to be present at the marriage of their son to Mrs. Sellender's sister. Miss Flora Miller, the first of the bay of the new season's debutantes, will be a luncheon hostess on Tuesday next, arranging an elaborate function in compliment to Miss Miriam Beaver. The guests will be claimed from all about the bay to meet the lovely young bride, the first of the last year's buds to join the ranks of the brides-elect. Following her debut she was the motif for a continual procession of compliments and her engaged days will be no less gay. Miss Beaver is the fiancée of Horace Van Sicken, the son of one of the oldest and most prominent families in Alameda. Miss Miller is claiming her guests at the Francisco Club.

Miss Ella Schilling and Miss Beatrice Simpson, who each season plan a little outing together, are spending a part of August at Tahoe Tavern, where so many of the smart set still linger through the later fall. The roads between the bay cities and the lovely spot are popular with the motor parties which are whirling to and fro. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Baxter, with Miss Helen Baxter, Miss Aida Baxter, Miss Vivian Baxter and Miss Irma Baxter and Howard Baxter, made up one of these parties. Captain John M. Rinder and Mrs. Rinder, with their daughter, Miss Roberta Rinder, were another little motor party who found the path of their summer outing leading to Tahoe.

Veget. Victor Mills today completes his work in the coast artillery. Sunday he expects to receive his commission. In the interim he has persuaded Miss Marguerite Cordell to become his bride. The wedding, which has been hastened because of the uncertainty of the future orders of the bridegroom, will be a charmingly simple function, with but a small company of the closest friends in attendance. Miss Altha Heath will be Miss Cordell's maid of honor. Mills belongs to a well-known family in Oakland, Ore. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cordell of Salt Lake City. She has become exceedingly popular with the younger set of Berkeley while she has been a student in the University of California.

Miss Viola Minor was the inspiration for a bridal tea at which Miss Hazel Foster entertained this week, a congenial coterie of close friends enjoying the informal hour at the Foster residence in Alameda. Miss Minor will celebrate her marriage with Waldemar C. Westergaard on the

evening of Tuesday, August 21. The days which intervene between now and the house wedding, for which a half-hundred guests are being claimed, are being filled with a series of charming affairs. The next home is to be made in Southern California, where Westergaard is associated with the faculty of Pomona College. Tomorrow Mrs. Arthur Merritt Brown and Miss Leila Brown are making Miss Minor the guest of honor at a business party across the bay with tea at the Palace rounding out the festivity.

One of the very happy dances of the week is being planned for tomorrow evening with the legitimate excuse of a benefit being made to bring the several scores of guests together. The attractive ballroom in the Hotel Claremont will be the setting for the pretty function, which is being arranged by Mrs. Louis Gill, Miss Eugenia Thayer and several others who find in the Baby Hospital Association and its splendid achievements a deep interest. With the annual fair announced for the opening October days the several branches are renewing their friendly rivalry to pour into the association's treasury the largest stream of dollars and are giving a series of preliminary functions which will give a nest egg to be added to during the three days of the spectacular bazaar.

Mrs. George W. Percy has been entertaining as her house guest through the summer Miss Jean Wold, the clever young girl who came from the University of Oregon to give instruction in the summer session of the University of California. She is leaving for the south for a short visit at Denham, where she will be entertained by Miss Ruth St. Denis before going north for the opening of the university.

More than half a hundred matrons of the smart set motored out to the Sequoyah Country Club last afternoon to enjoy the first "Ladies Day" of the season. Although golf was offered as a diversion, the knitting bags proved goodly rivals with the tea table as the center of the congenial groups of friends. Among those who are giving their presence to making these Fridays delightful affairs are Mrs. W. S. Rheem, Mrs. Tyler Henshaw, Mrs. Frederick Page Cutting, Mrs. Oliver Haslett, Mrs. Franklin Noah Dewey and many others.

Miss Mary Stillman was the inspiration for the tea at which Miss Ruth Kroll entertained a coterie of close friends this afternoon at the Kroll residence in Piedmont. Miss Stillman is the fiancée of Emerson Butterworth and since confiding the interesting secret has been complimented at a procession of charming affairs.

WHAT IS DOING TONIGHT

Alden Library and Improvement Club discusses bond issues, Vander Naillen (Radio).
North Side Improvement Club discusses bond issues, clubrooms, Alameda.
Young Men's Christian League meets, Beth Eden Baptist Church.
Orpheum-Friday, Smith.
Pantages-Honolulu Isle.
Bishop-Our Mrs. McChesney.
Hippodrome-East Lynne.
T. & D.-Wallace Reid in A Squaw Man's Son.
American-Mary Miles Minto in Annie for Spite.
Kinema-Joan the Woman.
Franklin-Thelma Slater in In Slumberland.
Idora Park-Inland Beach.
Neptune Beach-Surf swimming.
Lake Merritt-Boating.

WHAT IS DOING TOMORROW

Art exhibit, Auditorium.
Nadine Face Powder
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AFTER PRISONER AID NEEDY WOMEN

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—Agents of the Department of Justice are now enroute to Winnipeg, Canada, carrying extradition papers for George Paul Boehm, wanted here by the government in connection with an illegal plot to foment a revolution against the British government in India in 1915. Boehm was indicted, together with Gustav H. Jacobson, real estate dealer; Albert Weide, furrier; Baron Kurt von Reisswitz, formerly acting German consul here, now in Germany; Adolph Schlotz and nine Hindus. Boehm is the last of the important witnesses in the case to be apprehended. The arrest of Boehm was made three weeks ago it is said, but secrecy was maintained until the necessary papers could be obtained. Efforts will be made to have an immediate hearing of the case.

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POISON PLASTERS, GERMAN CAPTURED

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 10.—Two half-bushel baskets of poisoned court plaster were found in an apartment raided by detectives this morning. A man of German-Polish descent, whose name is withheld, is under arrest and will be turned over to the federal authorities. The court plaster bears the mark of a Chicago manufacturer.

The arrest was made on information given by a negro arrested in Memphis, who said he had obtained his supply of court plaster from an agent in Cleveland. The man arrested here pretended to be a cripple, but police say he is able bodied.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—Nine men were arrested here today charged with complicity in a far-reaching conspiracy to smuggle rubber and platinum into Germany. Six of the prisoners belong to the crew of the former Red Star liner Gothland, now used by the Belgian relief commission.

City to Plan Museum System Modern Group Trustees' Aim Library Report Tells Details

Oakland will sooner or later build a model group of museums, establishing a standard for group exhibition buildings, predicts John W. Rowley, curator of the Oakland Public Museum. In his report to the Free Library board of directors, showing activities at the museum for the year ending June 30 of this year, Rowley relates how the greater museum plan for Oakland was conceived.

It is regrettable, in condition of the present building makes it impossible to take advantage of the many offers of excellent museum objects and collections, which means that every month the museum remains in its present housing, valuable collections are lost to the city.

MATERIAL IS GOING. The historical material in our old homes and elsewhere is becoming scattered, our ethnological types and their implements are disappearing, and our big game going the way of the grizzly.

It is imperative that we establish the Oakland Public Museum on a footing to take advantage of these opportunities before they pass for all time.

In calling attention to the new system of grouping exhibits at the museum, Rowley in his report mentions that while the old idea of rows of cases filled with an endless number of objects may have been of some value for the student of any special subject, the group exhibits, such as the Alameda county seal group, are best suited for the general public.

Describing in detail the work of the different departments of the museum, Rowley says that the interest shown in the live snake exhibit installed through the efforts of F. V. Shaw make it evident that a zoo could be handled to good purpose in conjunction with the various museum activities.

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GIRL IN OVERALLS FLYING STUDENT

REDWOOD CITY, Aug. 10.—The identity of the girl, who enrolled in the Christofferson aviation school here several days ago as a student with the understanding that her name was to be kept secret, became known. She is Miss Sophie Bledsoe Herrick, 1654 Taylor street, San Francisco. Her ambition is to join the military aero corps should women be permitted to do so.

With Miss Hope Kerwin, the other girl pupils of the school, Miss Herrick may be seen daily in the striking garb of the aviator. The newest girl pupil came here on Monday at which plans will be discussed to counteract the influence of anti-draft organizations throughout the United States.

The alliance, according to the secretary, Robert Mair, will work in cooperation with the American Federation of Labor.

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MURDER CRIPPLE WHO IS "BOTTER"

ST. JOHNSBURY, Vt., Aug. 10.—The body of Alice Bradshaw, the little cripple believed to have been murdered July 5 because she was a botter, has been found on the border of a swamp about a mile from her father's house in Lyndon.

Search for the little girl was begun July 6 after the county officials had stated that Miss Etta May Hicks, housekeeper for John Bradshaw, the child's father, and Mrs. Alvin Kenniston, had confessed they had killed the child because she was a botter. The two women have been under detention in the local jail since then, and according to the officials, have made contradictory statements concerning the case from time to time.

The cause of the child's death could not be determined in a preliminary examination. Pending further examination by the county medical examiner and other officials, all information was withheld.

Alice was left cripple as a result of an attack of infantile paralysis a year ago. Her mother died when she was a baby and since her illness the child had been in the care of Miss Hicks, her father's housekeeper. It was understood that plans were being considered to have both Miss Hicks and Mrs. Kenniston transferred to the state prison at Windsor for observation as to their mental condition.

ANTHRAX KILLS 2 MEN IN SONOMA

SANTA ROSA, Aug. 10.—As the result of two deaths of humans following the handling of a cow which died of anthrax, a conference was held by Dr. Joseph H. Shaw, Sonoma county health officer, with Veterinarian Winthrop of Petaluma and Dr. Hayes of Sonoma and facts brought out which may result in a rigid quarantine being established on Sonoma county cattle by the state veterinarian and maintained until all the cows are vaccinated against the disease and all danger passed.

The death of Charles Seehopper at the German Hospital of San Francisco and D. Valente at Sonoma, both Tuesday night, caused an investigation which disclosed that both had assisted in skinning a cow on the A. B. Tower place near Sonoma. The cow died from anthrax.

Dr. Shaw's investigation today showed the cows in the Petaluma section, where big herds exist, to be showing strange symptoms. They are being watched closely in fear of anthrax developing. If such is the case, the animals will immediately be killed and incinerated and the state asked to quarantine until all trouble is stamped out by vaccination.

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CALIFORNIA TO HEAR BIG WAR ISSUES

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 10.—In an effort to arouse Californians from their general condition of apathy regarding the war and for the purpose of bringing home clearly to them the seriousness of the situation and the need for concerted action, there is being organized under the direction of the State Council of Defense a corps of what will be known as "California's Four Minute Men."

Instead of shouldering a musket as did their namesakes of Revolutionary days, California's Four Minute Men will fire verbal broadsides. Every motion picture theater in the state is to be pressed into service as a part of the program being mapped out for the Four Minute speakers, and every phase of war conditions and the need of preparedness will be taken up by them in the campaign which is to be conducted.

Although the Four Minute speaking campaign is to be carried out here under the auspices of the State Council of Defense, it will in no wise be a local proposition, as similar campaigns are to be conducted in every state in the Union under the auspices of the National Council of Defense.

COUNTY ORGANIZATIONS.

In the campaign to be conducted in California, county organizations of speakers will be formed and they will formulate speaking programs which will cover every theater, school house and other public meeting place in every city and village in each county. The county organizations will co-operate with the State Council of Defense and will be under the direction of William J. Cowan, secretary of the State Defense body, who has been delegated by the National Council of Defense to act as chairman of the California Four Minute Men.

Among the subjects to be discussed in the state-wide speaking campaign will be the pressing need of food conservation, the elimination of surplus delivery service in mercantile establishments, the utilization of every available bit of "man power" in the country, and similar topics. In their speeches on war subjects, the speakers will not speak longer than four minutes.

"WAR GOAT" URGED.

Keep a war goat! Help to save and to keep down the price of butter fats! This is the advice being sent out by the State Council of Defense to every householder in California who has a vacant lot available near his home.

There are a half-dozen good reasons why every family living in a suburban locality should keep a "war goat," declares the State Council.

Goat's milk is practically twice as rich in butter fats and nutritive qualities as ordinary cow's milk. Furthermore, goat's milk does not have a "peculiar" or strong taste, as is often averred, if the goat is kept ordinarily clean.

Laborites to Go to Stockholm British Workers Take Vote Peace Proposals Are Framed

LONDON, Aug. 10.—British labor today decided to be represented at the international Socialist conference scheduled for Stockholm in September.

The decision was reached at the labor conference at which 500 delegates representing all labor elements in England were present.

The resolution as adopted by the conference today favors participation of British labor in the Stockholm sessions in a consultative way, but without being bound by action that may be taken.

The vote of the delegates representing 2,398,000 workers favored participation by a vote of nearly three to one. The vote was 1,848,000 to 554,000. W. F. Purdy, chairman of the labor convention, in calling for the vote emphasized that the question was probably the most important in labor's history. Two Russian labor representatives were seated on the platform as the balloting began.

Arthur Henderson, labor member of the cabinet, favored British labor's participation in the Stockholm meeting as the resolution provided—consultative, but not binding.

AMERICAN AID IS WARMLY PRAISED.

A special subcommittee of the British Labor party executive committee has been preparing a memorandum upon the issues raised in the war and the ideas of British Labor in regard to peace proposals. This is printed in today's Daily Telegraph and is to be presented to the labor conference in London today, and further, will be submitted to the special conference August 21, prior to its proposed submission successively to the allied and international Socialist conferences.

Briefly, the memorandum is a strong endorsement of the demand for the reparation and restoration in behalf of Belgium and other invaded countries; a declaration in favor of the right of individual people to settle their own destinies; liberation of oppressed peoples from Turkish misgovernment, and a demand for the establishment of a league of nations for the maintenance of peace and the elimination of war from the world.

The memorandum indicates that Germany is threatening the very existence of independent nationalities, striking a blow at all faith in treaties, and declares that the victory of Germany would be the defeat and destruction of democracy and liberty. It disavows the desire to crush Germany politically and economically, and declares that while it is resolved to fight until victory, it is equally ready to resist any attempt to transform the war into a war of conquest.

The memorandum heartily congratulates the Russian people on the destruction of czarism and warmly welcomes assistance to the cause of human freedom in council, no less than on the battlefield, that is now being accorded by the American people.

It declares war is being waged against the ruthless imperialism of autocratic governments, and continues:

"The conference asks the peoples of the several nations, particularly Socialist labor comrades of Germany, Austria, Hungary, Poland, and Turkey, whether it is not possible for the united action of the working class of the world to bring this monstrous conflict to a summary conclusion conforming to the international principle of 'no annexations and indemnities' of the council of workmen and soldiers' delegates, the memorandum declares:

"Of all war aims none is so important as that there should henceforth on earth be no more war. Whoever triumphs, the world will have lost unless some effective method of preventing war can be found.

"For this reliance is largely placed on the 'complete democratization of Germany' and 'Austria-Hungary,' which now cannot fall to place themselves in line with other civilized nations, on a frank abandonment of every form of imperialism, on the suppression of all foreign policy, on the control of elected legislators, on the absolute responsibility of the foreign minister of each country to the legislature, on concerted action for the limitation of armaments and the abolition of profit-making of armament firms."

It is further declared that the essential condition of a treaty of peace will be the establishment of a super-national authority, or league of nations, adhered to by all present belligerents, while every other independent state in the world should be pressed to join.

The scope and constitution of the proposed league are set forth, including machinery for settling international disputes judicially and mediately and the formation of an international legislature, wherein every civilized state will be represented.

For the Jews equal citizen rights are demanded and hope of a free Palestine is expressed, together with freeing of Mesopotamia, Armenia and Arabia from Turkish rule, to be placed under the government of a league of nations. All dream of an African empire, the booty of any nation, should be abandoned, the memorandum asserts and suggests that all present colonies be transferred to the proposed league of nations.

UNIONS IN U. S. MAINTAIN STAND.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—The decision of the British Labor party to participate in the Socialist peace conference at Stockholm if passports can be secured will not alter the determination of the American reorganization of labor to send no delegates to that conference. This was the statement this afternoon of Samuel Gompers, president of the federation, when informed of the Westminster decision.

LOOT FOUND AFTER DUEL WITH THUG

SAN JOSE, Aug. 10.—Police detectives today recovered a quantity of valuable jewelry stolen from the home of Louis Sonniksen, wealthy merchant of 435 North First street, by burglars last night, as the aftermath of a revolver duel in the downtown portion of the city in which Joseph Ysazaga, recently released from San Quentin, was killed, his companion, George Quackenbush, taken into custody and Traffic Policeman J. W. Wolford badly wounded.

It was through the alleged confession of Quackenbush that the stolen property was recovered, according to the police.

The duel, which saw witnessed by scores of persons, resulted in one innocent spectator being wounded and several others having narrow escapes from flying bullets. Policeman Wolford had been detailed to investigate the actions of two men who were believed to be trying to pawn stolen clothing in a second-hand store on West Santa Clara street. Wolford questioned the two men and, without searching them for weapons, started the duo toward the police station.

As the party turned into San Pedro street near Post street, Ysazaga, according to Wolford, whipped out a revolver with the remark, "I'm going," and began firing. The first shot struck T. J. Reed, 527 Provost street, who went down with a bullet in the leg. A second later Wolford was laid down with a bullet through the groin. Ysazaga and his companion then broke into a run.

The policeman, unable to get to his feet, rolled over and drew his weapon, firing from the ground. One bullet struck Ysazaga in the head and he fell dead in his tracks. Quackenbush escaped. Chief of Police Guerrier, who was passing on a street car, and several civilians took up the chase, and finally overtook Quackenbush in an empty house on Fernando street, where he had barricaded himself behind a door. He was forced to surrender at the point of a revolver and placed under arrest.

At the police station Quackenbush confessed that he and his dead companion had been released from San Quentin about a month ago and had entered upon a career of crime only recently. The loot from the Sonniksen robbery, he declared, would be found on Ysazaga. The latter was searched at the local morgue and all of the loot recovered. Quackenbush also confessed that he and his friend had picked the home of George Ryder for robbery but were frightened away by the number of persons on the street.

HELIGOLAND IS DECLARED IMPREGNABLE

By Karl H. Von Wiegand,
International News Service Staff
Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—Why doesn't England with her great fleet—the greatest fleet in the world—attack the Kiel Canal, the German base at Wilhelmshaven and at Zebruggen, on the Belgian coast. That is a question much asked. Even in England voices are heard demanding that the fleet attack the German coast.

The answer is simple. It cannot be done. Certainly not without tremendous losses for very doubtful results. And even if Germany herself had not a pretty good fleet aside from her U-boats it would be more than difficult. The advantages are all with the Germans.

A direct frontal naval attack is well nigh impossible. No fleet in the world could pass the island of Heligoland or "Holly Island." Heligoland is today probably the most powerful fortress in the world, more powerful than Gibraltar, because it cannot be attacked from land. Naval experts have declared that Heligoland cannot be taken by the combined fleets of the world. That is the answer why England has not attacked the German coast.

Heligoland is Germany's powerful and impregnable "outpost" at sea. So far as a naval attack on Germany's coast line is concerned at practically stands off and neutralizes the entire British fleet.

ENGLAND GAVE ISLAND.

And England gave this island to Germany.

The eighth Emperor William must have had an inspiration. He traded Germany's interest in Zanzibar on the east coast of Africa to England for the little holy island on the North Sea off the German coast. Only 5300 feet long, and 1845 feet at its widest, with the action of the waves rapidly wearing it away, England was glad to make so good a bargain for something that soon would be swallowed up by the North Sea anyway.

The Germans thought, too, that William was roundly abused for his "swap." He was told that the English had "put one over on him." The Kaiser immediately set the scientists to work to discover a way to prevent further erosions of the soft red cliffs of the island. They encased the little island in something which has been called the steep cliffs so that the waves no longer wear them away. Heligoland lies thirty-six miles from Cuxhaven, the harbor of the Hamburg-American line. Its guns absolutely control the approach to Wilhelmshaven and the Kiel canal, the most of the river Elbe leading to Hamburg and also the mouth of the Weser river, leading to Bremen and Bremerhaven, the north and harbor for the North German-Lloyd.

BRISTLES WITH GUNS.

Heligoland rises abruptly 195 to 215 feet above the water. It is simply bristled with invisible guns of huge calibre and great range. They are largely the "mortar" or "indirect fire" type which shoot in high curves, the immense shells dropping upon warships from above. There also are enormous long range naval guns. Every yard of the North Sea for miles around the island and all approaches to the German coast is plotted in little squares. The exact range and distance of each of the hundreds of little squares is known. When a warship enters one of these squares, a searchlight, if it be fifteen or twenty miles away, a battery of four guns is automatically trained on that square. The range or fire control officers call out "square 25" or whatever it may be, one salvo, so accurately placed would destroy the largest dreadnaught. No ship could even get close enough to the island to use her guns. During the three years of this war no British ship has ventured within range of the little "holy island."

Being abruptly out of the sea to a height of 200 feet there is only one small landing place. The little harbor is a submarine base and a hydroplane station with many machines for sea scouting. In addition, there is on the island a sunken Zeppelin shed and a Zeppelin station there.

Behind Heligoland are numerous small islands along the coast on which are large batteries not to mention the powerful fortifications at Wilhelmshaven, Cuxhaven and the mouth of the Weser river. Then there are the mine fields and the submarines.

The British fleet, big as it is, would stand little show between them and the Heligoland guns.

Former Clerk Now Brigadier at Fort Mason

One year ago L. M. Farrell of San Jose was a clerk in a grocery store earning less than \$100 a month.

Today he is acting brigadier general in command of all the California infantry stationed at Fort Mason at a salary of more than \$700 a month.

Farrell won promotion after promotion until he became a lieutenant-colonel of the Fifth Infantry. When Brigadier-General Wankowski, commanding the infantry, and Colonel Francis, commanding the regiment, were discharged last week for failure to pass examinations Farrell was given command of the two regiments at Fort Mason.

TAFT STILL IN SERIOUS CONDITION

CLAY CENTER, Kan., Aug. 10.—Physicians attending former President William H. Taft, who is in a local hotel, determined this morning to give him the first food he eaten since the attack of intestines trouble early Tuesday morning.

"Mr. Taft is some better this morning," Dr. B. F. Morgan said, "has no temperature and although weak is more cheerful and like self than at any time since he came ill."

The decision to give nourishment to the former President was after he himself had asked for it. He will be given an egg and Dr. Morgan said, that being patients' wish.

Dr. Morgan gave out a statement last night saying that Taft's condition was due to intestinal trouble and it might clear up suddenly or continue for several days. At present, he declared, the former president should not resume his post until Monday.

Taft, according to Dr. Morgan, taken no nourishment since Tuesday. Because of this, he said, it was difficult to prophesy the exact course the disease.

CUDAHY TO TRY

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—John P. Cudahy, Chicago packer and son of the late Michael Cudahy, has applied for enlistment in the second officers' reserve corps to begin at the Presidio soon.

TUG RELIEF IS SAFE.

ASTORIA, Ore., Aug. 10.—The tug Relief arrived here late yesterday from San Francisco after its owners had become excited because it took the craft since Saturday morning to make the trip.

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Girls' Dress Section—Second Floor.

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KALAS NOT OUSTED; HE HAS RESIGNED

Mayor Davies' attempt to oust A. T. Kalas from the position of purchasing agent and eliminate the job altogether as an unnecessary expense, did not arouse the burst of applause that was intended to come from the fact that it became known that the intended victim had resigned on August 1 and become associated with a private corporation in another work.

Davies' attempt to oust Kalas, ten days after the latter had resigned, is explained by a technical ground. He declared that the resignation was not delivered to the Mayor's office when written. It just laid around somewhere and only turned up today.

These resignations that always get lost, or mislaid, or pushed under something when the air is full of politics, and a one-man-government-for-Oakland policy is running overtime.

STENOGRAPHER ALSO QUIT.
A portion of the Mayor's plan of taking over the purchasing agent's work included the acquisition of Miss Gertrude M. Dooley, stenographer to the purchasing agent, who, according to the Mayor, was the whole office, anyhow. He declared that in Kalas' absence when she was in charge, that things ran without complaint. He had it all figured out how he, with the assistance of Miss Dooley, could do all the work and get along fine. And then it developed that Miss Dooley had written out her resignation on August 1 also.

Now the resignations of both are in Mayor Davies' hands. The Mayor is sure that the resignations of both are in his hands. He has done it all the work and get along fine. And then it developed that Miss Dooley had written out her resignation on August 1 also.

SPOILED BY KALAS.
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TO ADVISE MEN.
Curios G. White of the law firm of Dunn, White & Aiken, today received a personal message from Governor William D. Stephens requesting that he handle the legal affairs of men here whose names are on the list of men who have come before local courts for trial. After a short conference with Judge T. W. Harris, chairman of the County Council of Defense, White consented to handle the work.



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Flyer Smith Wins New Honors Given Cross For Bomb Dropping

Flight Lieutenant Guy Duncan Smith, son of W. B. Smith of 1929 Thirty-third avenue, and well-known in Oakland, whose sensational experiences as a member of the Royal Navy Flying Corps of Great Britain have won international recognition, has been honored by the receipt of the Distinguished Service Cross from the British government for a recent invasion of Palestine, according to information received here from his brother, Flight Lieutenant Harold B. Smith of Yarmouth, England.

Leutenant Smith has been stationed at Port Said ever since his rescue from a cannibal island on which he lived with his observer for three months, after the airplane had been forced to make a landing while on scout duty for lack of fuel. The raid which won him the medal was an expedition against a railroad junction on the Sea of Galilee, near the famous town of Nazareth, and occurred last August. Under fire from machine guns, he and his observer, who was killed, flew over the target and dropped a supply train and put a beach cavalry patrol to flight with his bombs.

FELL THOUSAND FEET.
Young Smith was well known in Oakland through flights which he made from the Christchurch headquarters on Oakland estuary. On one occasion he fell more than 1000 feet and was driven head-first into the mud, escaping with minor injuries. While a wireless operator on a Masanair, Smith came into international fame by refusing to send a wireless message to the German squadron cruising within range, under threats of death from the captain, and it resulted in the capture of the Masanair by the British.

Only Funds Actually Needed For Hospital to Be Expended

BERKELEY, Aug. 10.—Doubts of the wisdom of expending the entire sum of \$1,000,000 for a county hospital, as proposed in the bonds, to be voted on next Tuesday, were set at rest by Dr. Robert T. Legge, secretary of the California chapter of the American Medical Association, and a member of the new County Hospital Association, at a mass meeting to discuss the bonds held last evening by the City Club at the Francis Willard school. Dr. Legge declared that the commission had no intention of spending any more of the issue than was absolutely necessary, and that if a hospital could be built for half the amount of the issue the remaining bonds would not be sold.

The meeting was the second of its kind, the first being at Unity Hall under the auspices of Berkeley center of the California Civic League. The other speakers last evening were Dr. T. C. McCall, chief physician of the Baby Hospital; Dr. David Hadden and Mrs. Beatrice McCall Whitman.

ECONOMY PROMISED.
"I want to emphasize for the benefit of those who phrased for \$1,000,000 too heavy an expenditure for this purpose that the commission has no intention of spending all of the amount if an adequate plant can be built for less," Dr. Legge said. "If for \$100,000 or \$500,000, then \$1,000,000 or \$500,000 will be spent. But it seems to me that Alameda county, third richest in the State, can afford to spend all of that sum. San Francisco has a population but little larger than that of Alameda county, all of which will be served by this institution, has spent \$2,400,000. There is no sense in our building a hospital for, say, fifty patients, only to have 100 apply for admission the day the doors are opened."

FOR CENTRAL HOSPITAL.
As the City League Judge Charles E. Snook of Oakland explained in detail the three bond issues to be voted on Tuesday and urged their passage. He declared:

"The advantages of a centrally located hospital, where the chief thing is that the hospital may thus be brought within reach of a majority of the people. This has been a long-felt want, as many citizens resent going to a distant almshouse for temporary medical relief."

GRANTED DIVORCE.
One chapter in the domestic troubles of William M. Rapp, Oakland mining man, was brought to a close in superior court this morning when Mrs. Lella Ruby Rapp was granted a divorce, \$20 a month alimony, \$250 in settlement of the property rights and the custody of their three-year-old child.

ACTION IS URGED.
W. E. Bunker, general manager of the Judson Manufacturing Company, in a communication to the city council today stressed the urgency of the action being taken in the matter of granting a lease to the Union Construction Company on its applicative to build a water tower on the waterfront. The letter, on addressed to Mayor Davies who has also urged that the lease be hastened.

MUST PAY WIFE.
Philip Lawrence, a teamster, was haled before Superior Judge Everett J. Brown this morning to show cause why he should not be committed to the county jail for contempt of court. Lawrence's wife filed suit for divorce last November and he was ordered to pay \$80 to his wife for lawyer's fees and court costs, part of which had been paid. He was given another chance to pay the balance after choosing between the jail and settling up the balance in weekly installments.

EGGS VS. CUPID.
Mrs. Annie Fife was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from Charles A. Fife after explaining that her husband was subject to violent fits of temper and that on one such occasion he beat her. Fife missed his mark but succeeded in spreading the eggs pretty generally over the walls of the room.

ICEMEN INCREASED.
Granting by employers of a demand for an increase of \$15 a month in the wages of ice men, the threatened strike of Oakland ice men, an emergency hearing was reached at a conference of union officials and representatives of firms yesterday. The union, which had been on strike from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. but gave in on this point, according to the men's representatives, agreed to a 9-hour day and would not have expired until January, 1918.

VOLUNTEER TO FIGHT FOR BONDS

That the representative men and women of the bay section are solidly behind the campaign for the success of the proposed hospital bond issue is indicated by the fact that a large group of the best known residents of the vicinity involved have signified their intention not only of voting for the bonds but of volunteering their services in any capacity required for the prosecution of this fight.

The following statement of the attitude of the various groups is being issued: "The Citizens' Hospital Committee of Alameda county urge upon the voters of the county to vote 'YES' on the proposed One Million Dollar Bond issue for the purpose of constructing a new County Hospital upon the site of the old Baptist College recently purchased."

"The money expended for the construction of the new hospital will be under the direction and supervision of the County Institutions Committee recently appointed consisting of the following persons: 'Dr. Aurelia Reinhardt, president of Mills College. 'S. J. Donahue, manager Building Commission. 'Harrison S. Robinson, attorney-at-law, former president of the Civil Service Commission of the City of Oakland, and president of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society of Alameda county."

"Frank A. Leach Jr., manager of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company. 'Dr. O. D. Hamlin, head of the staff of the County Receiving Hospital, competent and absolutely honest, well known as high-minded and public spirited citizens who will capably execute this great trust."

"The hospital will be built on the Baptist College site in East Oakland, a splendid central location in easy reach of the great industrial centers of Alameda, Berkeley and Oakland, and practically the center of population of the county of Alameda."

"According to the architects' estimate the bonds for this hospital will provide: 'Administration building; two buildings, four wards each, 25 beds; total 200 beds. One building of two stories and basement for 100 beds. 'Nursing ward of twenty-five beds; hydrotherapy department in basement; nurses' home for eighty nurses; domestic building for an ultimate capacity of 400 beds; storage room for supplies; receiving office; and laundry; pathological building; garage for four machines; equipment."

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Leaving no note that would explain his action, J. A. Gale, a traveling salesman from Chicago, ended his life last night by taking poison in his room at the St. Mark hotel. He was 45 years of age. He is survived by a wife and two children. A brother, Ernest Gale, is a member of the San Francisco detective force.

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CLOSING OF WOODYARD IS PROTESTED

That it "would be a mistake both from a financial and a humanitarian standpoint to close the municipal woodyard for the remainder of the summer," is the opinion of members of the board of directors in a report filed with the city council today. The report was signed by Mrs. E. A. Fen-ton, H. E. Caldwell and R. A. Leet. It was referred to Mayor Davies, who recommended last July that the woodyard be closed until October.

"When it comes to fixing the budget the institution will probably be forced to close for a while," commented the mayor.

URGES CONSIDERATION.
The communication to the council stated, in part: "This board appreciates the suggestion that the woodyard be closed during summer months, but it feels that the matter should have careful consideration. We feel that the continuance of the work must depend upon its ability to justify its existence from an economic standpoint. It would be inadvisable to close for the balance of this summer for the reason that we have much material stored and coming in continually. This is sold, and the receipts averaged more than \$100 a month from this source."

"Further, the same number of men would have to be cared for in some other way. Merely to close would entail unnecessary suffering upon helpless men, most of them past the age to find permanent employment."

CAMPS ARE PLANNED.
"We feel that an effort should be made to place these men in employment. It is our plan to commence next summer with the establishment of industrial camps in the country where the men may be sent to help themselves. It would be impossible to start the work this year."

"Closing the yard would save only \$200 a month and besides, the wood and many customers would be lost."

MEN ASK WAGES.
Claiming that many of the recent employees of the garbage company which was forced out of business ten days ago were not paid wages for the work they had done, a committee representing the men appealed to the city council this morning to take some steps to aid them, possibly by using the \$10,000 bond of the company to liquidate approximately \$8000 owed the workmen. City Attorney Morf has been asked to investigate the legal questions involving the situation.

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GERMANS POST PROPAGANDA IN MEXICAN TOWNS

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 10.—Copies of bulletins posted in front of a German store in Chihuahua City Sunday and Monday, purporting to be telegraphic despatches from Juarez, have been received here. These bulletins were a part of the pro-German propaganda in connection with the visit of General Francisco Murguia to the border.

One alleged despatch told how General George Bell Jr., with his staff, had attempted to make a formal call upon General Murguia in Juarez, but had been stopped at the international bridge and ordered to return or be fired upon. Another, carrying Juarez date lines, gave alleged details of a revolution among the negroes. I. W. W. members and pro-Germans in the United States.

COLONEL SCORES "COPPERHEADS"

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—Denouncing some Senators, Congressmen and newspaper editors as "standing where the copperheads stood in the Civil War," Colonel Roosevelt demanded suppression of the German language press, deportation of "50-50 Americans," and called upon every man, woman and child in the country to exert every ounce of energy to win the war.

Asked concerning statements attributed to him by Dr. Kuno Meyer, Berlin professor, in Amsterdam despatches, Roosevelt said Meyer was guilty of "gross immorality" in quoting him "concerning compensation and indemnities a victorious Germany might collect." "Mr. Meyer's statement is substantially correct, with this exception," said Roosevelt. "I did not say the Austria-German victory would entitle them to compensation or indemnities. I said that if Germany won, it would be entitled to the utmost limits of compensation and indemnity she could win from all her adversaries, including the United States, and I added she would take them from the United States whether we went to war or not. Mr. Meyer and his wife called on me in May, 1916."

WOUNDED FIGHT TO FINISH.
Roosevelt said his conversation with Meyer occurred after he had spoken at Chicago and Detroit on the need for American preparedness in view of Germany's hostile attitude. "The man said to him was what I said in this speech," he asserted. "The man said to him was what I said in this speech."

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TAKES POISON.
Entering a chop house at 429 Seventh street today, Nellie Millard, 30 years of age, asked for a cup of coffee and on receiving it, poured out the coffee, emptied a bottle of lye into the cup and drank the contents. She was taken to the Emergency hospital in the police ambulance. She will probably recover as the poison was promptly pumped from her stomach.

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JACKSON IN CLASH OVER CITY JOBS

Over the single-headed opposition of Commissioner F. F. Jackson to provisions affecting certain positions, the city council today adopted the civil service ordinance which eliminates more than a score of employees from the city payroll after today.

Commissioner W. H. Edwards charged that the attempt on the part of Commissioner Jackson to save the positions of certain employees was a "mere political maneuver."

"He is inconsistent and is playing to the galleries," said Edwards. "He wants to save the jobs but he is not willing to consider the being done in a different way by taking it up with the civil service board after the adoption of the ordinance and have new recommendations."

HE OBJECTS.
"I object to the removal of the commission," Jackson protested. "I don't blame you," replied Edwards. Jackson claimed that the elimination of the position of stage carpenter at the auditorium would involve the city in that might entail certain compensation. The labor union provisions are that all extra help in making preliminary arrangements shall be hired by the carpenter. He declared that the council was abolishing a position that it would have to replace."

VOTE IS TAKEN.
The ordinance providing for the reduction of wages of the city from \$2.50 a day to \$2 and for the abolition of the positions of paving inspectors, particularly the one formerly held by Harry J. Treaselt, who has enlisted in the navy department, were also protested by Jackson, but they were adopted by four opposing votes.

HAS NEW NAME.
Superior Judge Fred V. Wood plugged up this morning and gave him a new name and the young man will sign his dinner checks D. H. Holden in future. He requested the court to make the change on the ground that people who were otherwise known as "D. H. Holden" had been accused for endless would-be practical jokes.

TEN ADMITTED.
Eleven prospective judges appeared before Superior Judge Frank B. Ogden today for final papers. Ten were accepted and one, Jerry McGee, was rejected because of a false statement made concerning his wife in Bohemia. Sager testified that he had no wife and that the position of the immigration records showed that his arrival here was made with a wife in 1908. McGee was allowed to become a citizen.

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HORSES WILL BE TRAINED IN NEW CAMP

CAMP FREMONT (Menlo Park), Aug. 10.—Arrangements are being made here for the accommodation of more than 10,000 horses as a portion of the field artillery equipment of the coming Federalized national guardsmen encampment. A remount station for the breaking of nearly 2,500 animals is being equipped as an integral portion of the camp, under arrangements by Major-General Hunter Liggett, commanding the Department of the West.

The only remount stations in the West are at Fort Riley, Kan., Mesa City, Mont., and Fort Keogh. When a remount station is established here, similar stations will be opened at American Lake and Linda Vista cantonments. An army of civilian employees will be employed to handle the feed shipments which are coming in from all over the West, and everything planned for the careful training of the big artillery horses, on whose steady nerves the efficiency of that department depends.

TO HANDLE TRAFFIC.
Official notice has been given the Southern Pacific Company that within a few days it will be carried upon the heavy traffic into this section. The housing and accommodation of the artillery animals has opened up a mammoth task in the handling of supplies. Contracts for 2250 tons of hay, 1750 tons of oats, 75 tons of bran, 1550 tons of straw and 18 tons of blacksmith coal are only a portion of the items required for immediate shipment.

Special arrangements to bring the supplies into camp in record time have been made by Major-General Liggett, with C. J. Miller, assistant President, General of the Southern Pacific Company; T. O. Edwards, auditor; Frank C. Lathrop, assistant general passenger agent; T. Ahern, superintendent of the coast division; and C. J. McDonald, assistant superintendent of transportation. All of these departmental heads visited the camp yesterday and were shown conditions by the army men.

TO FINISH STRUCTURES.
Ten big warehouses will be finished by Saturday night, according to present expectations, while general housing structures are being thrown up at the rate of six a day. The trench machines have most of the water pipe trenches in and the work of piping the camp is being rushed in order to have it ready for occupancy by the time the first detachments of the national guard begin to arrive. On Saturday all divisions will move into permanent positions and a considerable portion of the disorder that is prevalent will be eliminated.

Major C. A. Pennington of the Washington National Guard is the first man of his regiment to arrive. He has reported to Major James A. Purse, today, Quartermaster of the national guard of Washington, Wyoming and Idaho are now on the ground making the preliminary arrangements for the reception of the troops.

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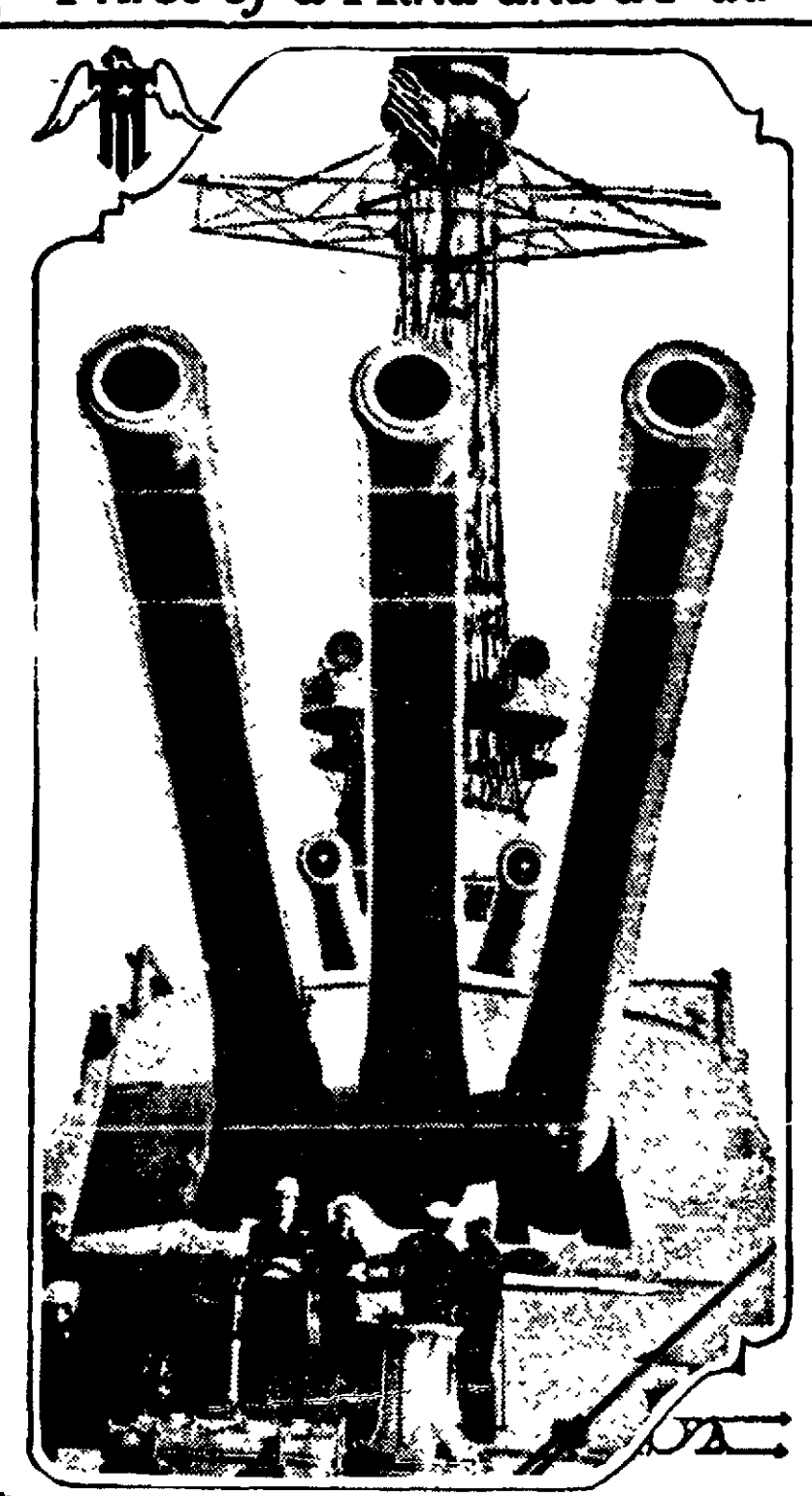
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"Three of a Kind and a Pair"



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SOLDIERS' FEET ARE WOMEN'S CARE

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—"Save the soldiers' feet" is the slogan of the American Soldiers' Godmothers' league, organized to send comforts to men in the trenches.

Mrs. W. Leonard Davis of New York, just returned from Paris, formed the army of women whose part in the war is to keep each American boy fighting at 100 per cent.

"We can help whip Germany by saving the soldiers' feet," said Mrs. Davis to-day.

"In that way we save men. 'Trench feet' are as deadly as shrapnel. I have seen soldiers on the operating table, their shoes frozen tight. Their feet must be amputated."

"To save American soldiers those horrors, we must send them thousands of woolen socks."

There will be nothing sentimental about this knitting of socks. Mrs. Davis said in the letter of some of them—these notes will go to the soldiers in this way some of the American godmothers hope to get in touch with Sammie who have to follow him, so letters may be sent them. If the plan succeeds no American boy in khaki will stand aside—bitterly disappointed—on days when the precious mail is distributed.

During one week, 2000 women volunteered as godmothers, forming an army of women to stay at home and help beat the Kaiser by sending a steady stream of letters and comforts to the battle front.

Godmothers organizations are being rapidly sent into action in all parts of the United States. Recruits who communicate with Mrs. Davis are sent printed specifications for knitting undershirts, socks, caps and other things urgently needed in the ranks of Flanders.

Each woman, Mrs. Davis said, will supply one article a month. The Red Cross has taken over the work of handling all shipments to Europe and will also have charge of distribution on the other side.

Mrs. Davis explained the plan she stood in a room banked high on all sides with little packages. "are the mummies of the home. They represent the work of women who start toiling for our armies in the field, often after a hard day's housework has been done. We'll never give our boys a chance to forget that while they're fighting in France, for us, we're working at home for them."

GERMANS STRIP ALSACE-LORRAINE

By HENRY WOOD
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE FRENCH ARMIES, July 26 (By Mail)—Alsace and Lorraine are being milked dry by the Germans while they still have the opportunity to do so, according to authoritative information that has just reached France by way of Switzerland. So clean is the final sweep now being made by the Germans both of everything eatable and usable, that the condition of the civil population, despite the fact that Alsace and Lorraine, still rank as German provinces, is little if any better than that of the inhabitants of invaded Belgium. All metals that could be used in the manufacture of war materials was long ago taken by the Germans, including the church and school bells, organ pipes, tin canisters, stoves and cooking utensils. Amongst the latest things requisitioned were famous bells of the Strasbourg cathedral which were hung in 1805 to replace the historic bells destroyed during the revolution.

Food restrictions and food requisitions are now being imposed. Not only are the Germans requisitioning all live stock, but the inhabitants of Alsace and Lorraine are under military orders, with military penalties attached, not to kill a single food animal. Requisitioning is being made of smoked meats, dried fruits, potatoes, vegetables, wheat and flour.

The restrictions have reached a point where the farmers are no longer allowed either to milk their own cows or collect the eggs laid by their own hens. All this is done by the German soldiers in order that every particle of food may be controlled and may go to the German authorities. As the farmers no longer have the use of their own milk, butter is no longer to be found. Oil and coffee are also no longer obtainable.

These conditions, coupled with the liquidations by the Germans of all properties owned entirely or in part by French capitalists and French people have reduced the position of the civil population to one of half starved and abject misery.

MARINES SEEK TO RETAIN UNIFORM; DESTRUCTIVE

AMERICAN TRAINING CAMP IN FRANCE, Aug. 10 (by the Associated Press).—The Marines of the expeditionary force will make a fight to retain their forest green uniforms against a French order which would place them in regular army khaki. The Marines think they can arrange a necessary supply of their distinctive clothing, but army officers feel it would perhaps be better to have the entire expeditionary force in uniform.

The Marines hold that to abandon their distinctive dress would tend to lower the morale of the men, which, in turn, would rob the expedition of the spirit of friendly rivalry now existing between services. The Marines cite the case of the Alpine Chasseurs in France, who won their distinctive uniforms of dark blue against an order that all French troops should wear horizon blue.

The Marines cut a deal to buy a fund of \$60,000 to buy French war bonds, the fact evoking great cheers from their French trainers.

MEETING STORMY

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 10.—The independents at the Socialist meeting held at Mannheim, Baden, Tuesday, which was addressed by Philip Schlegelmann, leader of the majority Socialists, created disorder. They demanded the right to be heard and sang "The Worker's Marseillaise." The time became so deafening that Schlegelmann demanded the election of the independents and the chairman of the meeting threatened to call the police if they continue their demonstration.

RED CROSS READY TO AID TROOPS

By J. W. PEGLER,
United Press Staff Correspondent.

AMERICAN FIELD HEADQUARTERS, Aug. 10.—The American Red Cross is ready to care for all wounded Sammie.

It was not necessary to send them home for proper treatment after they are brought back from the firing line.

The functions of the Red Cross were defined here today. It was decided that the American organization would be made responsible for care of the wounded outside the fighting zone.

A golden stream began flowing today straight from the American training camp to the French treasury. The Marines have purchased \$6000 worth of 6 per cent bonds and have decided to buy a similar amount.

General Gilbert has been endeavoring to find some way of inducing his men to save their money and it is probable this has solved the problem. There is keen rivalry between the army and the marine in the purchasing of bonds, snurring all of the men on to greater investments.

One marine of German parentage subscribed \$400. Many kegs of gold coin are now in the expeditionary treasury. News of the investments of the Sammies spread among the French villagers. They were astonished and demonstratively let the Sammies know of their delight.

LEARN WAR USAGE

LONDON, Aug. 10.—Through the courtesy of the war and foreign offices a staff correspondent of the Associated Press has been permitted to visit the American troops at their billets in England. They were found equipped in a valley in which white tents extended as far as the eye could see with British officers and a squad of non-commissioned officers intensively training them.

The British instructors were busy making soldiers from men who, until a few weeks ago never saw an automatic pistol or a gas mask, and they were quite pleased at the success of their efforts, for the Americans, they say, learn quickly, understand thoroughly and do not forget what has been told them. Moreover, they consider remarkable the way in which the Americans of the engineer corps bend themselves to discipline when they realize it is of vital importance in the conduct of the war.

Today the Americans are working with gas masks. The instructors break up companies into squads and the members stand in a circle and get lessons in quick adjustment of the mask. The Americans are taken to the trenches, where they walk through deadly fumes and to the open plain, where just a little of various gases are liberated from tanks. This is done so that the soldiers will learn to recognize the small and unassuming, it takes no more than one whiff. The gas instruction takes up much of the time of the Americans. The remainder is given to gymnastics and infantry drills. The officers command men. And it is a long day—from 5 45 o'clock in the morning until 10 o'clock at night.

Most of the men at this encampment are from the railways of America. They are made up from the operating and construction divisions of the railways and they are working hard in order to be ready to construct and operate roads in France and to fight for this privilege, if necessary. Some of the companies are made up of men from roads entering Chicago and some Pittsburgh and New York. But the men themselves come from all over the country. Many of them already have been through instructions at camp.

A taste of what is coming in the way of weather and mud already has been had. Some of the companies from the Chicago lines arrived at the camp in driving rain, which continued for four days. The ground was a sea of mud and when finally the sun broke through the cloud-roof the whole camp gave three cheers for the Americans sometimes met with trouble in conversing with the Britishers. As yet the Americans do not understand cockney speech well and the cockneys themselves have some little trouble in understanding the idioms of the men from Chicago and New York. American and British flags float over the camp from the same pole and, to quote the adjutant of one of the battalions, "they mix well—both red, white and blue—the best in the world and the next best."

USE MANY MASKS

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UNDERGROUND LINES AID ARMY

BY DANIEL DILLON,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

AMERICAN TRAINING CAMP IN FRANCE, Aug. 10.—American officers who have just returned from an inspection of parts of the French front speak in amazement of the wonderful and intricate underground lines of communication. They claim that the French system more than matches in thoroughness anything German.

Arms are operated underground, and even miniature subways have been constructed at various points for the transportation of supplies from field depots to the trenches.

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STANDARDIZED AUTO PLANNED BY ARMY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—Standardization of the automobile will be in force by the army before the close of the war, according to officials of the War Department who have watched with satisfaction the progress made in two weeks by the automobile engineers who are here studying the program of standardization. Tests of trucks equipped with certain parts already have been made and it was indicated that tests of completely assembled trucks would be begun within a month.



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CASTRO DECLARES U. S. ENEMY OF LATIN-AMERICA

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 10.—Cipriano Castro, one time master of Venezuela and now a wanderer on the face of the earth, has just bobbed up in Vera Cruz and signaled his arrival on Mexican soil, where he seeks an asylum "for life," he says, by a characteristic vitriolic outburst against the United States.

"All the weak Latin-American countries must unite to protect themselves against the United States which is their permanent enemy," declared the ex-dictator.

U. S. OFFICERS TO SAVE PRISONERS

PEKING, Aug. 10.—Captain Calvin B. Matthews and Lieutenant Thomas M. Luby of the United States Marine Corps attached to the Peking legation, are proceeding from Kalgan for Tabul, in the province of Chi-Li, to rescue twelve members of the American board of missions and twelve other foreigners, mostly women, who are besieged by bandits. The American officers are accompanied by Chinese soldiers.

Tabul is in the northwestern portion of the province of Chi-Li about 160 miles from Peking and Kalgan.

LIMIT PASSPORTS TO BLOCK SPIES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—The state department today started limiting passports to Russia, to block German agents going there from New York. Learning from the Root mission that many New York Russians, supplied with German money, were flocking into Russia, the passport division will demand that anyone wishing to go to Russia prove that his trip is vital. There will be a careful investigation of the applicant's past history and his present purposes, and if he cannot show that his trip is bona fide he will be flatly refused a passport to go.

Russia herself is aiding in this work. She has closed her frontier to travelers, cutting off hundreds of thousands of immigrants, chiefly from the United States. Scandinavian port authorities are refusing to let such immigrants pass through their countries in any attempt to run the closed frontier.

From Peking Kalgan is about midway between Peking and Tabul.

BOSTON, Aug. 10.—Officials of the American board of missions here said that the board has no station at Tabul and that it was impossible to tell who were the missionaries besieged there by bandits. They assumed that some members of the Peking station had gone to the cooler northern part of the province to obtain a rest and study the language.

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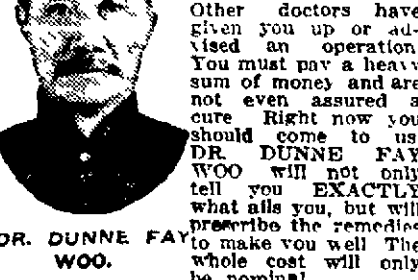
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By H. A. MacGILL

Creator of the Hall-Room Boys



LOS ANGELES, Aug. 10.—It took two Erickson an inning to get started against the Tigers yesterday, but after a bad start he was right and when the Seals came out from behind to give him a 4-to-2 win Erickson finished out in front, and came today with a vengeance. The Seals, losing streak and boosted them one game farther out in front of the Angels in the pennant chase. The Seals' pitching staff consisted of men for the game and issued three walks. Marlon pitched a good game, but steadily grew weaker, whereas Erickson was getting better and better. The Tigers did all their scoring in the first frame, when hits by Chadbourne, Daley and Gleichmann with an infield error gave them a 4-to-0 lead. Erickson then went into the score one run at a time and then went out in front with a vengeance with two runs. In the second inning Daley and Baker hit back to back in the field out in between put over the first score. In the fifth the Seals evened their count on Corhan's single, Baker's sacrifice and Pittman's error. The score rolled along on an even basis for two innings and then Fitzgerald appeared in the scoring when he started with a hit and Baker followed with a sacrifice and Galloway threw it away, letting Fitzgerald score. Pittman went to second on the error and to third on Baker's error. Maize's long fly chase was in the run.

After those two runs had put the Seals out in front, the Tigers did not have a chance against the pitcher. He made five men in the last two innings, striking out three men in the eighth and the ninth, and in the tenth he was able to put himself out of danger in the ninth. Erickson had opened with a double.

IRA THOMAS REFUSES JOB.
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 10.—(The East) Thomas denied that he was considering a offer to succeed Miller Higgins as manager of the St. Louis Nationals. He said his income of \$3500 for coaching the Nationals would be reduced to \$3000 from his real estate business would prevent him from ever returning to baseball.

EAST VS. WEST IN GOLF.
CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—The East was matched against the West in the semifinals of the junior championship of the Western Golf Association today.

Earl Collins of Austin, Illinois, was paired with R. Ken Haigh of Long Island, N. Y., and Fred J. Wright of Boston, with Bert A. Tolson of Rock

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'VOTE BONDS,' IS KEYNOTE AT MEETING

Public spirited citizens in all parts of Alameda county are rallying behind the county bonds issues to be voted on next Tuesday. Meetings are being held daily and nightly, at which strong endorsement is given to the three issues to build a new county hospital, make improvements at the county infirmary and erect a bascule bridge over the estuary.

Two important meetings are those of the Alden Library and Improvement Club of Oakland tonight in the Vander Naillen School, 5175 Telegraph avenue, and of citizens of Washington township to be held at Niles or Irvington on Sunday. This gathering will be addressed by Dr. T. C. McCleave of Berkeley.

Added impetus to the campaign was given yesterday by a series of meetings, beginning at noon and extending into the night. The principal gatherings were at the Hotel Harrison, where the Social Workers' Committee declared in favor of the bonds at a luncheon, at the Hotel Oakland, where the Oakland Civic Center held an open forum in the afternoon; at the Berkeley Civic Center, where a similar gathering was held, and at the City Club school in Berkeley, where the City Club discussed the bonds at night.

Harrison S. Robinson was the principal speaker at the luncheon of the social workers and the meeting of the Oakland Civic Center. Dr. Mabel Anthony opposed the bonds at the luncheon, saying that she suspected a joker in the issues for the county hospital and the bascule bridge.

EXPLAINS ISSUE.

In the course of his remarks, Robinson said:

"It should be thoroughly borne in mind that these bond issues are imperative. There are three reasons:

"Alameda county must have a new county hospital if it is to hold its place among the other counties of the state.

"Improvements at the county infirmary must be made if that institution is to be made a humanitarian institution.

"The bascule bridge must be built by October 30, 1918, for the War Department is not inclined to allow the present obsolete bridges to remain in place after that date.

"The \$1,000,000 hospital bond issue will add four cents to the county tax rate.

MONEY IS NEEDED.

"Although \$1,000,000 has been included in the bond issues for the improvements needed at the county infirmary, it is a question in the mind of the county institutions commission as to whether the amount will be required. Probably it will take from \$100,000 to \$200,000.

"A quick acting bridge over the estuary must be provided in the next 14 months, and under the orders of the government, but in order that the commerce and navigation of the port of Oakland be not throttled.

"The issue for the bascule bridge will add 3 1/2 cents to the tax levy. If the money to build this bridge is included in the county budget, it will add 3 1/2 cents to the taxes.

Dr. Leese addressed late yesterday afternoon a meeting of the Oakland school teachers held at the municipal auditorium, urging the co-operation of the educators of the community in securing a new hospital. The teachers expressed themselves as heartily in favor of the measure and willing to act actively in its support.

COUNTY MEETINGS.

Mrs. J. E. Thane of Niles is arranging the details of a meeting to be held in Washington township, either at Niles or Centerville, next Sunday afternoon, which is to be addressed by Dr. T. C. McCleave of Berkeley.

A number of ministers have signified their willingness to discuss the bond issue in their sermons next Sunday and it is believed that practically all of them will consent to do so.

Mrs. B. F. Giddings, a well known resident of Castro Valley, is arranging for a house-to-house canvass of that vicinity.

The Child's Welfare League is to discuss the bond issue and advance plans for active participation in the campaign at its meeting at the Hotel Oakland next Monday at 2:30 p. m. Miss Bessie J. Wood is arranging the program.

3 RIOTERS SHOT

LIMA, O., Aug. 10.—Three men were shot in a clash between strike sympathizers and armed guards when rioting broke out in the street-car strike here late yesterday. Police dispersed a crowd of more than 100 persons after they had attacked strikebreakers and demolished three cars. Six strikers were arrested. The company made no further effort to operate cars.

Broom Works Transformation; Infirmary Life Revolutionized



Quadrangle at Alameda County Infirmary showing pile of refuse which formerly decorated its center. It is now being hand-swept daily, with other parts of the grounds, by the male inmates of the institution who are able to do a little work.

(This is the third of a series of articles describing what is being done under the direction of the newly created County Hospital Commission to alleviate conditions.)

By HARRY L. SULLY.

"I've a broom at the mast, said he; For a broom is the sign for me. That the world may know, Wherever I go, I ride and rule the sea."

So runs the old song. And a broom might well be placed upon the coat of arms of the knights of the Alameda county Infirmary under the new dispensation. It would be the sign manual of the great clean-up.

In the old quadrangle, flanked by dilapidated buildings, with little dark and miserable alleyways between them, there was formerly a pile of old wood, of scraps, of refuse. In the alleyways and corners between the buildings there were dirty holes. Men and women, aged and infirm, caught in the mist of apathy that had settled over the place, sat and dreamed on the benches about the quadrangle. They and the refuse had the atmosphere of things forgotten and forlorn.

Passing across the quadrangle a few days ago the visitor might almost be startled by the change. Its symbol was the broom.

Not merely a broom, but an army of brooms. The wielders were the old men who had sat so disconsolately in the sun or had rummaged for magazines in a great pile that had been dumped on the ground just outside the office door, to be taken or discarded as the casual passerby might see fit.

An army of broom wielders worked away diligently to discover and take up every scrap of paper, every bit of refuse. They worked and rested, worked and rested, and looked up and smiled as the visitor passed.

SPIRITS REJUVENATED.

They looked alive. There was an air of business, of being engaged in something that was worth while, about them. Bent old men, with white hair and trembling, bent hands, held their brooms bravely and did their bit.

"They like it," said S. H. Thompson, the expert borrowed by the newly created County Hospital Commission from the State Board of Charities. Thompson is on the job every day at the infirmary to make suggestions. His suggestions after being submitted to the hospital and after being worked over by the members, become the recommendations of that body and, in effect, the law of the institution.

"They like it," said Thompson, greeting the old men who were strode across the quadrangle and over toward the cinder. "They jumped at the chance of something to do. 'We do not drive them. We do not expect them to do a full day's work,

or anything like that. We let them do what they can. So far they have shown an eagerness to help."

There was another squad in the courtyard, following a wagon hauling away manure and straw. In its wake, and all across the yard, the ground was swept and clean. In every nook and corner about the institution was to be found "the man with the broom."

It was the same in the grounds of the tuberculosis colony. A refuse can was noted by Thompson with the cover half off. He pointed it out to one of the men and was told the cover did not fit. On the way back he gave orders that the can should be sent to the tinsmith on the ground and a cover properly fitted to it.

KEYNOTE OF SUCCESS.

"The doing of a reasonable amount of work in and about the institution

is the keynote of success. It is the only way to engage in it," says the first report of the Hospital Commission, filed yesterday with the Board of Supervisors, in listing some of the essential reforms being instituted.

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WEEK CREDIT TO BE RULE OF BUTCHERS

One delivery a day will be adopted as will also probably a weekly credit system for customers by the retail butchers of Oakland and elsewhere throughout Alameda county as the result of voting at a special meeting of the Alameda County Butchers' Exchange held here last night to discuss recommendations of the national council for defense in furthering economic conditions.

Members of the exchange and of the butchers' local, No. 120, were unanimously in favor of the one delivery a day system, which will probably go into effect following the perfecting of plans by the exchange at a meeting next Thursday. Butchers' vans will make two runs during the day, starting out at 10 o'clock and at 3 o'clock, but only one delivery a day will be made to each customer and no order under 15 cents will be delivered. A vote to abolish the monthly credit system and substitute a weekly system or cash payments was carried by a large majority at last night's meeting. The Butchers' Exchange will have to pass upon this question at its regular meeting before a decision is reached.

OPEN MEETING.

Last night's meeting was open to all butchers and employees and was held primarily to decide upon the one delivery a day system, which has already been adopted by the Butchers' Protective Association of Berkeley.

It was pointed out that each order averaging 25 to 30 cents, cost from 7 to 8 cents to deliver and that the overhead expenses of butchers were constantly on the increase. Representatives of the butchers' local, an employees' organization, said the one delivery a day would be of great benefit to the butchers' vanmen, who, under the present system of delivery, have often irregular meal hours.

WEEKLY CREDIT.

The principal reason given in favor of the weekly credit system was that wholesale butchers now require weekly payments of accounts by the retail butchers and that the latter would have to deal with the public on the same basis.

Fred Schultz, president of the Butchers' Exchange, was in the chair at the meeting, which was one of the largest held by the butchers of this county.

BRIDGE ENDORSED

Following the adjournment of the regular meeting of the Alameda County Civic Association in the Bacon building last night, a group of the building, headed by Dr. D. H. Vernon-Rockledge Improvement Club held an informal meeting and on the motion of A. W. Knowles endorsed, as citizens, the bascule bridge project, which comes before the public on a bond vote on August 14.

The Alameda County Civic Association went on record at its last regular meeting as approving the county hospital bonds.

STRIKE AT MADRID

MADRID, Aug. 10.—After negotiations covering a long period between the railroad employers and employees the men last night broke off relations with the companies. A strike of the men is expected to begin at 8 o'clock tonight. The government is taking all measures to maintain traffic.

INCREASE WAITS

PARIS, Aug. 10.—The increase in the price of newspapers from 10 to 15 cents which was agreed upon by an inter-ministerial committee, has been postponed until September 1. The committee fixed the minimum subscription rate at 25 francs for Paris and vicinity and 27 for the rest of France.

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Why fuss with making pastry or cakes for dessert? Aside from the possibility of their not being satisfactory to you, there is the bother and expense of preparation. Lehnhardt's ice cream bricks for dessert do away with this and the cost is so low you wonder why you have worried over dessert all this time. Quart Ice Cream Specials for 80c, delivered packed in ice. Phone Oak. 486.—Advertisement.

Says German People Are Puzzled Cannot Grasp World's Attitude Dr. Meyer Explains War Aims

Declarations that the German people after three years of war are still puzzled as to why the bulk of the world is against them has been made by Dr. Kuno Meyer, peace apostle and former professor of Celtic languages at Berlin and Liverpool, exchange professor with Harvard, and more recently lecturer at the University of California.

Dr. Meyer, who is one of the most noted authorities on linguistics, has given expression of his views in an article in the Tagliche Rundschau on German policies under the title "Our War Aims in the Enemy Eyes," according to Amsterdam despatches just received. In the article Dr. Meyer admits that the hatred of Germany has sunk deep into the souls of entire nations, and that even at this late date the German people were still trying to explain the German standpoint with more or less optimistic hopes of success.

DECLARES IT IS FEAR.

"It is a perfectly genuine feeling," he says, "although utterly unreasonable, and if we spoke with our eyes closed we would still be refused a hearing."

On the other hand, the professor continues, "there is an unmistakable fear, not unmixed with admiration, of German strength and greatness," and says:

"In America, anyhow, they have found no inclination to belittle our achievements save in newspapers which always have been hostile. It was the fear that we may after all be victorious and that the money with which America has backed England, France, and Russia, might be lost, which was the consideration that impelled America to enter the war."

"If we win, our enemies naturally will concede to us the right to impose terms which are advantageous to us. This much has been admitted frankly to me personally by several persons belonging to enemy nations, and by none more clearly and definitely than by Colonel Roosevelt, who in May, 1916, spontaneously told me and my wife in conversation that an Austria-German victory would entitle us to compensation and indemnities. At that time there was still some remote chance of his election to the presidency and, although he professed incredulity at such a possibility, he sketched out a program which he would follow if he entered the White House."

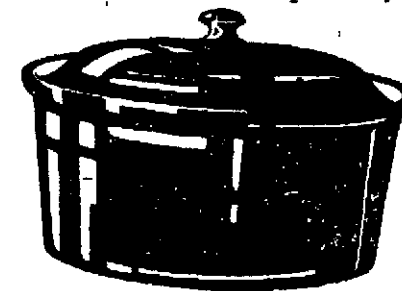
WOULD PREVENT INVASION.

"He then went on talking of America's participation in the peace conference. He emphasized the necessity of restoring Belgium and hoped for an independent Poland. He added that the victor would be entitled to insist upon securities that conditions leading to the war would not occur again. Thus, in the event of a victory by the Central Powers, he said it was self-evident that we would reconstruct our frontiers so that invasion would not be so easy."

"Colonel Roosevelt further spoke of a mid-European federation under German leadership as a natural outcome of a victory by the Central Powers. He included in it Holland, which, he said, under German protection would be freed from fears of losing her colonies to England and Japan, but Mr. Roosevelt added, 'Then you get into a vicious circle, and this sooner or later will lead to trouble between you and us. Against this eventually we must be armed.'"

Dr. Meyer concludes from the foregoing that "certain enemies have a better notion of our aims than many of us at home of Germany's true needs."

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